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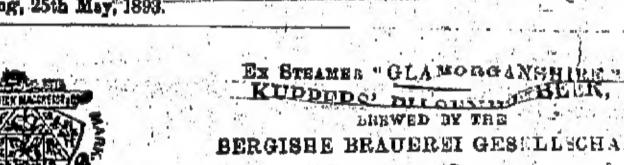
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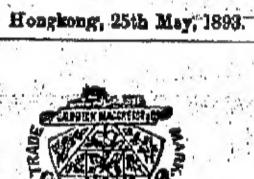
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ed to know his duties and to discharge

We come now to the Audit department.

The duty of auditing the accounts of the

various departments was formerly attached

to the Colonial Secretary's office and was

performed in a more or less perfunctory

and careless way, as might be expected

under such an arrangement. Consequently

we are not disposed to attach too much

importance to the inefficiency of the audit

so far as the late Dr. STEWART and Mr.

though some blame must attach to them the

made separate and distinct from any others.

necessary for his auditing." Mr. NICOLLE

knew his duty, but did not do it.

degree as an excuse, for it is, an Auditor's

find everything in perfect order; he is the

beat, and to take notice of the slightest cir-

cumstance of a suspicious character. Yet

here were books not made up for year

after year, and Mr. Nicolla contented him-

self with giving gentle reminders to the

Troasurer instead of at once officially re-

of duty on the part of an Auditor, short

Mr. E. H. Parker, British Consul at Hoihow,

recently at drill, died from the effects.

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HONGKONG, MAY 27TH, 1893.

THE report of the Treasury Commission of actually conniving at false entries, could presents us with a picture of official neglect not be imagined. Mr. Nicolle wasappointed and incompetence truly appalling. ALVES for the special purpose of guarding the commenced his embezzlements in the year Colony against such robberies us these com-1888. From that time up to the time of mitted by ALVES, and that duty he did not the discovery there were four different discharge, He cannot even plead the crimiofficers successively in charge of the Treasury, nating excuse of the policeman who has not one of whom seems to have thought it to confess that he was asleep at the time a necessary to see that the rent roll was added burglary was perpetrated on his beat, for up, although as regards some of them the Mr. Nicolla was awake and knew that matter was specially brought to their atten- books which ought to have been made up tion; and the Audit department seems to were not made up. Of course there is no have been equally indifferent. The con- reflection on the personal honour of either nection of the late Mr. LISTER with this Mr. NICOLLE OF Mr. MITCHELL-INNES; but painful affair will be learnt with much re- they have been convicted of official neglect gret. It was an injudicious order given by of the most serious character. that gentleman as to the division of work in the office that rendered the frauds possible by removing the checks which had previously existed. It would appear, how- mah, arrived here yesterday. ever, that the rent roll was duly made up and audited to the end of 1886, since no- at Fort Connaught, Singapore, who was injured thing is said to the contrary in the report, and that the 1887 roll was the first one in connection with which serious delay occurred. This should have been made up in the early part of 1888, but it was not until May of the following year that it was Shanghal on the 20th inst. from Wahn. audited. Mr. Lister went home on leave in June, 1888, and came back in January, happened during the last few months of his service he can hardly be held responsible condition, and the frauds having commenced only in the year that he went away on leave, the blame attaching to him order above referred to and to his having 1887 to fall into arrear, which was the commencement of the irregular practice more water in the Feims channel than in the that enabled ALYES to carry on his frauds old channel, but the difference is only slight. so long. While Mr. LISTER was away on leave Mr. Wodehouse acted for him, and the same gentleman again took charge foot of Ch'ao-chou Fn, Yang Tei, who is about when Mr. Lister went to Japan just to leave his post, does so on account of the combefore his death, continuing in the office should have seted more vigorously on behalf of until January, 1891. The Commissioners the two Chinese, one of whom was killed and the find that Mr. Wodehouse was to other wounded by the accidental letting-off of a blame for not causing the rent rolls-1887, 1888, and 1889 to be balanced in Fan Kung-huel, has been appointed to the post proper time. It is only fair to remember, however, that up to the end of 1890 the post

Mr. MITCHELL-INNES was appointed Co- Telegraphic advices from Formon, the N.C. THE PO LEUNG KUK COMMISSION. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. Chicago should subscribe freely for the useful the President, and also the Member of the Le- Commission. louisl Treasurer in January, 1891, and was Daily News says, report the murder of seven Chinese workmen at the camphor works by some required to give his whole time to the duties, of the savages in the vicinity, and that owing to the salary of the office being increased, this there had been a scare amongst the rest of When the TREASURER was paid only \$960 a the workmen, who refuse to venture far out of year and expected only to look in at the what has been paying government some \$30,000 office occasionally, it was perhaps not sur- a month in taxes. The Governor has sont flying prising that things should go wrong, but in quadrons into the interior to protect the works

when the system was reorganised and a man appointed to give his whole time to the work curred that the first thing to be done was to stuff in No. 2 crossent level, 120 feet deep. He dices 103 pages. go through all the branches of his depart- will clean-up probably by Saturday, the 27th. The questions read come at once to Singapore. He hopes to the following:ment to see that everything was thoroughly bring 1,000 ounces of gold with him; his last in order when he took over charge, and if he estimate was 800 only.

The men who set off from Shanghai in a heaselound any work in arrear to have it at once brought up to date. It is said that new boat with the declared intention of crossing to Japan and subsequently to San Francisco appear brooms sweep clean, but Mr. MITCHELL- to have soon tired of the venture. The N. C. INNES appears to have been no better than Daily News of the 22nd inst. says :- Yesterday a second-hand broom, and the irregularities morning a telegram was received from Woosung stating that Mr. Gaillard's houseboat, which had which had grown up in the department were been hired by Greenlaw on Thursday, was at allowed to continue unchecked. Then Mr. Woosung alongside the Kusheing, and abandoued. A representative of this paper elicited F. H. May appears upon the scene, acting the following with regard to the return of the for Mr. MITCHELL-INNES during a six boat. The boat was found at 5 a.m. yesterday months' leave the latter took. Mr. Mar morning at anchor on the Postung side of Woosung, off the berthe beenpied by the mail comes in for a share of the blame, be- steamers, but there was no one on board. Some cause although the fact of the rent campanmen said it had been beached before day roll's not having been made up was light at Postung near the Liemore wreck. brought to his knowledge by the Auditor. and they engaged a sampan to land them We continue to supply large bottles as here. he took no steps in the matter. His ne- at Weering: It will be remembered that some extenuation, if not an excuse, for an the men left the house-boat in a great nurr and enquired if there were any steamers at acting man to say that he allowed things to Woosung about to leave. Having landed the run on the same lines as the substantive two foreigners, who started across country for holder of the office. Mr. MITCHELL-INNES Shanghai, the sampannan returned to the houseboat and got her off, and took her in to Wooreturned, and still nothing was done to sung. Although there had been no bad weather ing, until finally the Auditor discovered-

place the work on a more satisfactory foot- after the house-boat left on Friday morning, the boat has been considerably, knocked about. It was seen by several in-bound vessels this side Counterfoil Order Books supplied free on ap- by accident it may be said—that all was not of Tangela beating about on the river, and con- at the service of the Societyright. For Mr. MITCHELL-INNES's neglect siderable surprise was caused at its being so far down river. Everything on board the boat was in confusion, and the rudder was broken and commending its incorporation by Ordinance that it was not wilful but arose from the lashed with rope. Yesterday evening the There is, however, a wide difference in the fact that he had no adequate conception two foreigners turned up in the Settlement. historical portion of the majority report and that called at the Hongkew Police Station and re- of the work done. The majority date the exhighly said head of a department is expect. ported that the third man, a German sailor istence of the Society from the year 1830, and named Hans Glendwinkel, was missing. They | nav :had left him on watch at night and gone to Glendwinkel applied only a few days ago to the Society for the Protection of Women and Girl he Welf, but when the Consul sont for him he

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

bad gone away in the house-book

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(now Sir) Francis Flexing are concerned; four rans. LORD SALISBURY IN BELFAST.

Lord Salisbury, addressing a moeting of five principal blame must be given to the system. thousand persons at Belfast, stated that the Crown veto and the supremacy of Parliament was appointed Auditor, and his office was afforded no protection against government by the nominees of Archbishop Walsh and Mr. 'Fimothy Healy. Continuing he said-Ulster will was to blame for "not reporting to the pertainly win if she holds out, and he counselled Governor the fact that he had not been her to not with moderation, and to abstain from able to obtain the books properly balanced

FRANCE AND STAM. The French press is urging vigorous action the Treasury officers an explanation more France in her operations, party news. KOBE, 20th May.

BANDAISAN IN ERUPTION AGAIN. There was a terrific eruption of Asumayama in the Bandaisan range, yesterday. It is feared that there has been great less of life and pro- opinion simply words and nothing more. There critical eye upon every one he meets on his perty.

> MARU." The Mino Maru, belonging to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, has run on shore during a for

TOTAL LOSS OF THE S.S. "MINO

near Tsugara Straits. She is a total loss, The Mino Maru is a vessel of 553 tons net register and 95 nominal horse-power, built at porting the matter. A more serious breach Dumbarton in 1884]

KOBE, 21st May. A TANK OIL STEAMER DRIVEN

ASHORE AT HYOGO. The tank steamer Trocas, 2.657 tons, which arrived on the 9th from Batoum, was driven ashore at Wada Point last night in a heavy gale. She makes no water,

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

The Queen's Birthday was celebrated yesterday in Hongkong and was favoured with typical Queen's weather. The day was not altogether parade of the troops, and this took place on the who has lately been on special service in Barof site was not very desirable, the limited area The gunner attached to the Asiatic Artillery available somewhat cramping the men, detracting from the usual imposing appearance of the parade, while the glare from the bare red earth The place where the Russian cruiser Vilias is was intense. Viewed, however, from a confortable stand point, such as the verandah of one stranded is eight miles from Gensan, or Ynenof the bouge on the Prays, the scene was very ploturesque, the massed troops baving H.E. Yang Ju the new Chinese Minister to a very effective background of blue sea and the United States, Spain, and Peru, arrived at blue sky relieved by bundreds of flattering flags on the men-of-war in the harbour. Shortly after 5 o'clock H.E. the Governor, accompanied The Northern Pacific steamer Victoria, which by Lady Robinson, arrived and the troops drawn sailed from Victoria on the 11th just., arrived at up in double line saluted while the band played 1890, a dying man, though he remained at Yokohama yesterday morning, and will sail to God Save the Queen." The Asiatic Artillery day for Kobe and Hongkong. "God Save the Queen." The Asiatic Artillery on the left then fired 14 rounds of the Royal His Excell salute, the regiments fired the few de inic, and To-morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 the Hongkong Volunteer Artillery fired the o'clock, the steam launch Dayspring, carrying remaining seven rounds of the salute, the under the circumstances of his physical the Bethel flag, will call alongside any vessel band meanwhile playing the National Anhoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashere them. Three cheers were then given by the to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's) men for Her Majesty and the march past commenced. The Engineers led the way and were followed by the European Artillery, the sub-The N. C. Daily News says it is doubtful sequent order being. Shropshire whother the expense of blowing up the Feima Infantry (in companies four deep). will be incurred. There is very little of her Artillery, Submarine Miners, Hongkong Vo. be open at all times to any Justice of the Peace, be a suspending clause, the majority "see no the meeting." allowed the making up of the rent roll for now above the bottom of the rent roll for now above the bottom of the rent and see have removed it from the odium of the necessity. for the addition of a suspending the Charles and see have removed it from the odium of the necessity. For the addition of a suspending the Charles and see have removed it from the odium of the necessity. For the addition of a suspending the charles and see have removed it from the odium of the necessity. For the addition of a suspending the necessity for the addition of a suspending the necessity. For the addition of a suspending the necessity for the nec that touch her do not seem to get any damage appearance of the men all through evoked charge brought against it by the member for the charge brought against the charge brought against it by the member for the charge brought against it by the member for the charge brought against it by the member for the charge brought against it by the member for the charge brought against it by the member for the charge brought against it by the member for the charge brought against against the charge brought ag from the contact. There are still a few inches much admiration, and the evolutions were very satisfactorily performed considering cret society.

Volunteers brought out four guns in charge of Liout. Denson, but some amusement was occasioned by the terrible specimens of borne flesh barnessed to the guns. They might do very well for the south side of the island where there are no unkind orities, but they were evidently never intended for parade purposes The new Maxim: gun corps was conspicuous by

some other post, and was supposed to occupy across the river on the 10th inst. for revolver the nose and sustachian tubes. and gun practice and accidentally shot a country- Microscopic research, however, has proved peet until the community had first shown its by an Elective Committee of members under or upon such other scourities as it may in its only a fraction of the holder's time, man in the leg, and this speedily brought on him this to be a fact, and the result is that a simple interest in the Society by subscribing freely. the supervision and direction of a permanent discretion think fit, and may from time to time the chief clerk being responsible for the smot, which came very nearly tearing the marks remedy has been formulated whereby these disroutine work; and the Commissioners in fact heard of the matter in time to resone the cared by a few simple applications made at home solicitations of the Registrar-Gaustal.

The chief c

The Strails Times says .- Mr. Bibby, writing separate reports, the first signed by the Hon. wards. But I am equally confident that in the tion of the Society and the of Mr. Travers on farlough. ou 12th May, says that the lode at the Rand J. H. Stewart-Lookhart, Mr. F. H. May, and minds of the Chinese there was the dread that accomplishment of the objects and purposet 3.—The Postal Union Convention, which was at a salary of \$4,800 a year, reasonable Hole has improved and that in the South Drive Hon. C. P. refusal would influence the second by the Hon. C. P. refusal would influence the second by the Board, which is as ratified at Vienna on the 4th July, 1891, came care and attention might fairly be expect. The loss is 12 in to 18 in thick. The hard Chater and the third by the Hon.T. H. White-gistrar-General and of the Government. I do liberty to depute a portion or the whole of its into force on the 1st July, 1892. Under this ground at Bukit Koman may cause trouble. He head. The reports cover fourteen foolscap not believe that the Chinese are capable of power and authority to the Elective Committee. Convention the dimensions of Sample Packets ed. To an ordinary man it would have oc- lays great stress on having struck gold-bearing pages, the evidence 170 pages, and the appearating Mr. Lockbart from the Registrar-

1. Whether it is advisable to give the Society 25th March, 1891, during the discussion on the n logal status. 2 (A) Whether provision should be made for such status in a Bill similar to that under disonstion or (B.) whother, as suggested by the Secretary of State 10 years ago, the Sogioty should be formed under the Companios Act of 1865 and its rules and organisation formally approved by the Local Government. Whether It is in any sense, as suggested by

the Houngrable T. H. Whitehoad, a " Secret Whetherany of the subscriptions have been obtained by "praising" or "order" as asserted by the same Honourable Member. Whother some of the runners are disreput-

able and squeeze as suggested by a Member of the Police Fore !. 6 .- Whether a grant not exceeding \$20,000 should be made by the Government or whother it would not be preferable to hand over the block of houses situated in New Street including the first floor and the site, to the Society instead of making them a grant in

7.-Whather the Proceedings, Books, Build. ings, &c, of the Society should not at times be made accessible to Justices of the Peace, Maristrates, and others. 8.-Whether the last clause of the Bill shoul

not be omitted altogether. 9 .- Whother in any ouse a suspending clause should not be attached to the Ordinance. The last clause of the Bill, referred to quention 8, provides that the Governor may given place a certain number of detectives and constable

All the reports concur in giving the Society gredit for carrying on a useful work and in re-They are Greenlaw and Alexander, and they of Mr. Whitehead and also in the measurement

"From the evidence, documentary and other German Consul to be allowed to serve on board | has been fortunate in linving always had connected with it Chinese contlemen of undoubted respectability and high standing among the Chinese residents of Hongkong, that the direct torate appointed from year to year, though vary ing is energy, has always been animated with zonlous desire to aid and co-operate with the Government in suppressing the evils of kidnap ping and kindred offenoss, that, as a result such aid and co-operation, many offenders have been brought to justice who might otherwise have escaped panishment, and kidnepping and Yorkshire beat the Australian team by sixty- kindred offences have received a decided check that thousands of women and girls have been researd, thousands of destitutes cared for, and thousands of persons restored to their relatives." Mr. Whitehead, on the other hand, maintains

that the Po Loung Kuk, as a separate and distinet society, never had an existence until no annual mentings, and no elections in due form, taken charge of destitutes, defraying the cost the so-called the Po Lieuar Kuk being merely a their board and of their passage home, and that the work done Mr. Whitehead says:-" However irregularly constituted, it must be admitted that the members of the so called Po Loung Kuk Committee and the Tung Wah Hospital have done good service in the suppresagainst Siam, and accuses England of thwarting sion and detestion of kideapping, in finding food

and shelter for women and children and in oswild expressions la the second paragraph, of page vii. of the Report drafted by the Chairman. about thousands of women and girls rescued. thousands of destitutes cared for, thousands of persons restored to their relatives, are in my for 4) years to the list Documber. 1891, shew ours for such sale."

sense a "Secret Society" as suggested by of the fact that the Po Lana Kuk have raised the following statement by that gonflemen is tion from the Chinese in aid of the Society, that published as an appendir :-

1-92, in the Legislative Council, which I did, the Po Leang Kuk as a free gift to be disposed. on the first reading of the Bill entitled . An of by them as they may think fit for the benefit Ordinance for the establishment and incorpora- of the Society tion of the Chinese Society for the protection of "I think this course preferable to a great of women and children, commonly known as The money at the present time and when it is rememobserved as a public heliday, many of the stores Po Lang Kuk. I spoke entirely on the spur of bored that the Government has already expended the moment, and in using the words 'Scorot | public money in the preparation of the site and being open until the afternoon, but as the banks | Society in connection with the Po Leang in the construction of the above block of houses." and insurance offices were closed the business Kuk I had absolutely no intention what- In answer to question 7 the majority report was only of a very retail character. The princi- ever of branding the Society in any sense of says:-" We think it would be well to add pal feature of the celebrations, of course, was the the word as being criminal, or as being provision to the section referred to making the organised or conducted in any way that could proceedings and books of the Society accessible new reclamation ground, the Happy Valley being ation. I intended simply to convey my opinion Mr. Chater an i Mr. Whitehead both think that deemed too damp after the recent heavy rains and belief that it carried on its work of detecthe proceedings of the Society should always be for the purpose. As a matter of fact the change tion and emquiry privately and not publicly, open to the inspection of Justices of the Pence. that its officers were of private appointment and Magistrates, and others, Mr. Whitehead adding not responsible to any public authority, and that "It is of the very first importance." while the Society appeared to exercise semi- With regard to question 8, whether the last adicial functions, its researches and enquires clause of the Bill, refering to the placing of were carried on in places not open to the pub- detectives and constables at the disposal of the

the centrol of public opinion. liable to misconstruction, and I apologise to the Bill should not be omitted altogether. The members of the Po Leung Kuk for having clause is not an innovation, for it is simply spoken without full consideration of the main- a reproduction of Regulation No. 13 of the preing and the possible affect of my words. I our sent Rules and Regulations of the Po Leang not believe, however, that any one can have seri. Knu-a regulation which has always, we under onsly misunderstood the sense in which I used stand, be n a dead letter. So far as we are aware

second reading to-day, I was perfectly prepared and adds :- "The detectives so lent to remain | son, J. D. Monro, D. A. Silva, A. P. da Costa, other Clerk at \$30 per month for duty at the to modify it in certain particulars. I should under the authority of the Captain Superio. V. A. C. Post Office our hardly be regarded as extravahave struck out the last clause; I should have tendent of Police, and to be simply set apart Hawkins, H. Crawford, Wei A Yuk, and J. B. gent. Of course he would have to take his turn needed the Bill so that the meetings of the Fo- for the special duty." ciety and the buildings and establishment should In reply to the question whether there should The SECRETARY read the notice convening Chamber of Commerce, namely, that it was a se- one, we have no objections to mrge." Mr. by the Secretary, to confirm the resolution passed Mails numbered 508 parcels outward and 602

" Hongkong, 20th March, 1893. "T. H. WHITEHEAD."

On this point Mr. Whitehead refers to the State for the Colonies."

heading "Origin and History of the Society" :- members of the Committee refers to the in or upon English, Indian, and Hongkong Go-"I desire to call attention further to the facts government and management of the Boolety, vers ment stocks, bonds, and funds, and in or CATABER, HAY FEVER, CAT BEHAL DEAY- that no efforts appear to have been made to raise and more particularly to the connection of spon the stocks, bonds, funds, and securities of NESS,-A NEW HOME TREATMENT.-Sufferers subscriptions and form a fund until 1892, al. the Registrar-General therewith. To make any foreign Government, country, or state, and Kinking despatches state that a foreigner contagious or that they are due to the presence the directors to do so, that the fund raised in visious of the Bill on which it arises. It is provid- in Hongkong or elsewhere, and in or upon of Treasurer was held in conjunction with belonging to one of the firms at that port went of living parasites in the living pa directors that no Government aid could be ex- managed and its various functions discharged ing Institutions wherever established and in

it was well that they should be arged to do so; ing the Chinest, who shall be ex officio the vice-The reports of the Special Committee ap-and persuaded out of their objections and pre-President. The names of the persons who are pointed to investigate and report on pertain judices. It was natural that the Registrar- to form the first Board are set out in points connected with the Bill for the Incor General should take an interest in the Society a schedule, and it is provided that vacancies poration of the Pe Leanny Kuk were laid on the and do all he could to further its objects. I in the Board shall be filled up from time to time table of the Legislative Council on Thursday after am sure that he made use of nothing but the by the Governor, who may call upon the connoon. The Committee consisted of the Hon. most legitimate argument in his efforts to gain tinning members of the Board for their recoming report on the British Postal Service in mendation. Full power and authority to subscribe would find any difference in the deal-govern, direct, and decide all matters 2.—On the 16th April, I took over charge of Kai, and Hon. T. H Whitehead. There are three ings with him as the Registrar-General after- whatsoever connected with the administration the Department, consequent upon the departure forring to this point is as follows : -General, and I quote here in support of my The questions referred to the Committee were opinion from a speech of the Henourable Ho, Rai, delivered in the Logislative Council on the

> Gambling Ordinane "It is very eas' to get Chinese to come to Po Leang Kuk. It in fact, brings the Society one's office, especially the Registrar-General's more under the control of the Government Office, and get them to say what one wants, for than it ever, theoretically, has been praviously on asking them certain questions they, observing Boyond the principle of Government superthe same deference they pry to officials of their vision and the introduction of the principle of might be exchanged between British Colonies own nation, will simply way Aye Aye to every a Permanent Board of Direction, which the following countries:-Austria, Belgium, question addressed to them, although at the practical working of the Society has shown to same time they do not agree with the opinion be most desirable and which the Chinese co expressed. It is a matter of notoriety that they sider will not only inspire confidence among will not contradict efficial remarks. I wish the public, but will also help to increase Portugal, Roumania, Salvador, Servia, Si when the Registrar-General wishes information the efficiency of the Society, the various Switzerland, Tunis, and the United States. he would got it in a fair and just manner, allow sections of the draft bill are but meraly a rethe Chinese to come together in open meeting production of the present rules and regulations and then give the result arrived at, instead of of the Society, which have been formally sinctaking opinions given under I will not say the tioned by the Secretary of State and the Coloome before a high official.

"I must say that I regret that the sabsoriptions for the Po Loung Kuk were not obtained from the Chinese in public meeting or on the solicitation of their follows, instead of being, as very many of them were, obtained as the result of personal interviews with the Registrar-Gonerol at his Office and under the peculiar feeling the Government, is one which many Chines; with which Chinese come before a high official." As to the character of the runners, the majority consider "that the Po Leung Kuk Society have exercised due pressutions to provent abuses arising in connection with their detectives," and some account of these precenttions and of the description of men employed is

Mr. Chater says:-"There can be no doubt that there have been persistent rumours that such 'squeezing bas taken place, but I am satisfied that the directors have done alt in their power to prevent such oc currences, and to punish offenders. The delectives seem in the main as trustworthy as any other Chinesa who can be found bere to do the same work. I am clearly of opinion that they should be secured, and of course every possible guarantee taken of their honesty and good conduct. With these precautions, and the greater amount of publicity given to the Society's propositings, the chance of such offcuess occurring hould be greatly lessoned"

Mr. Whitehead's answer to the question is as "There has been no proof that the runners are more disceputable, or squeeze more or less than the same class of man in the Government

s rvice, but there are evidently very strong im pressions on the subject. " A provision in the Ordinance that the P Loung Kuk detectives shall be guaranteed by the Society and secured, and that they shall approved by the Registrar-General will, with he greater publicity given to the proceedings of the Society, remady all this so far as it capable of being remedied." On the subject of a grant to the Society the

"In view of the good work the Society has that there was no general interest taken | y are it has not only assisted the Government in it or its operations, no subscribing members, in the suppression of kidnapping but has also Committee of the Tang Wah Hospital. As to it will continue to perform the same charitable functions in future, thereby relieving the Go vernment of a burden which would be very cost ly if it were not borne by the Society, we are opinion that the Society should receive a money grant from Government. Sacing that the Society has collected a anisoription amounting to \$30,000, we recommend a grant of \$20,000 and or tab abases in the of oftent when a ravour able opportunity offers for disposing of them."

Mr. Chater's answer to the question is as fol-"As we'are informed that the Society has co lected a subscription of \$10,000, then in consideration of the charitable work it has done, and no is no evidence of the number of persons passing doubt will continue to do, I think there is no ob. Lonng Kuk being identified with the acts through the hands of the Seciety from 1878 jection to making it a grant of \$20,000, which the Government. to 1858. The accounts, shew but a small would be partly covered by the sale of the houses expenditure during these yours. The returns in New Street, if a favourable opportunity oc. will only lead to confusion. The object to be

a gross total of but 2,751 persons in all passing Mr. Whitehood says it seems to him experienced men in the governing body. There under the care of the Po Loung Kuk. The that the Government cannot well refuse to should be one strong Committee sleeted for six thanks of the Government and the community make some grant for the establishment of a years and renewed in part each year by the reare due to the Chinese gentlemen who, in spite suitable building. He refers to the building of tirement of two members and the re-election of of the apathy and indifference of the great mass the Chinese houses in New Street, the top floor others in their place. There will thus be exof the Chinese population and of great want of of which was intended to be used as the home. perioused men at all times on the Committee support, have carried on the good work from | while the other floors were to be let. but as to year to year, and to the Taug Wah Hospital which there seemed to have been a misunder of the members Committee if need be. for the accommodation afforded the Po Leung standing between the Government and the So-Kuk, as well as for the prountary assistance ciety. The cost of building the houses was \$8,000 without which the Po Leung Kuk must have and the land on which they stand was valued at

about \$12,000. Mr. Whitehead says .-The question whether the Society is in any "I recommend therefore that in consideration ir. Whitehead is answered in the negative and inpwords of \$30,000 during last year, by subscripthe said land and block of houses, situated in "In making the remarks on the 11th April, New Street above referred to, be hauded over to

bring it within the shadow of such an imput- to such persons as the Governor may appoint."

lie as our Police. Courts are, and not subject to | Society, should be omitted, the majority report.

"I am sorry that I made use of a phrase ." We see no reason why the last clause of the it is not unlawful for the Governor in his dis-"Indeed; it is quite clear from the speech of cretion to direct a cortain number of detectives His Excellency the Governor in the Legislative and constables to be placed at the service' of above Company was held yesterday. Mr. H.

Chater answers the question, "Yes, certainly." at our meeting on the lat of May last, I have inward. The total number of parcels received Mr. Whitehead gives the same answer and nothing to add to the remarks made by the and desnatched in 1891 and 1892 was as udds :- " I would cornectly suggest that no- Chairman of that meeting and therefore will to The question "whether any of the subscription thing further should be done in connection with proceed to propose that the following resolution tions have been obtained by 'pressure' or 'or- the Po Lenng Kuk or with the Bill for its be confirmed:der as asserted by Mr. Whitehead " is answered incorporation now before the Council, until " That the first subsection of article 103 of in the majority report in the following terms :- such time as the whole of the cylidence taken the articles of association of the China Fire Mr. Whitehead denies having made any much before the Committee and these reports and re- Insurance Company, Limited, with its marginal assertion or having made use of the words commendations have been forwarded to and our note, be expanged, and that in lieu thereof the sidered by the Right Hon, the Secretary of following sub-section and marginal note be

"With reference to the draft ordinance considerable misapprehension seems to exist regard. ing the powers it confers on the Po Loung Kuk, The draft bili gives no increased powers to the

terror but the peculiar feeling with which they mid Government of this colony, and which are vorante. Fererive. Figranantson, Foulpointe, in the eyes of the majority of the Chinese quite as authoritative as any Ordin mos passed by the Lagislature. The distinction between regul tions approved by the Secretary of State and mar. Correspondence to and from these places, promulgated by the Government and an Ordinanon passed by the Legislative Council, approved by the Secretary of State and promulgated by would not readily recognise. It has been sug gosted that if the President be out-voted on any question he should have the right of appeal to October, and all but 23 lives lost. The mails be Governor. Though the Rogistrar General considers such a-contingency is not likely to arise, we think there can be no objection to giv. | Shanghai, ing the President and the Committee of the Society the right of appeal to the Governor in owes where there may be a wide difference of

" I feel strongly that it is inadvisable that the Registrar-General should be a member of the governing body, though on the other hand would be a very good thing if the member representing the Chinese were ex-officir Chairman | gistered articles from Sh ourbal and 29 from the of this body. The Registrar-Greeral should be agencies north of Shanghai. There were also outside it as the authority to whom all questions | 65 percels for the United Kingdom A small under debate should be submitted; the right of final appeal from his decisions to the Governor of the month from Har Britannic Majesty's in Conneil being always reserved. It is hard'y Consul at Tainan which had been recovered necessary for me to point out how false a pos tion the Registers-General would he dif ware at the same time a member of the govern ing body, and able to reverse its decisions by his I dresses, a poor woman resident in Macao. Three power of voto."

Mr. Whitehead expresses his opinion as fo "I disapprove entirely of the constitution the Society as provided for by the Ordinance. | through the P. & O. S. N. Company, which also Annual subscriptions should be substituted for consisted principally of press copies in a more the one subscription new entitling to member- or less torn and illegible condition " In this ship, for in the other way one the memb rehip broket a few leaves; of a Bible were found in a be reliably maintained at a level. There may life mamberships of course in addition. Aunual

subscriptions, however small, will help to main-

tain popular interest in the movement. "I most strongly deprecate the inclusion the Registrar-General in the governing boil of the .Po Leung Kuk. He must have in espects the final and decisive word in all dealings by the Society with women and girls en trusted to its care. He should be entirely outside it, and above it, and should not be mixed in the debates and discussions of the members of Jommittee. The Registrar-General has in the past oxeroised a most valuable and offective con trol over the proceedings of the Po Leung Kuk It is very clear from the evidence given by Wai Yuk, and by other Chinese witnesses examined that in proposing that the Registrar-General should be a member of the Committee they would in certain matters be able to place him in a minority and overrale him. officer of the Government, and an impossible po ition for the officer specially charged with the protection of women and girls by Ordinance the Chinese Authorities on the municipal would involve the danger of the sets of the

"I am of opinion that the double Committee attuited is apparently the retention of old and A working Sub-Committee can be formed out "I recommend therefore under this head t imondment of the present Bill :--

1.—By making an annual subscription the condition of membarship. Life mamber-

ships being provided for. 2.- By vesting the Government of the Society in a General Committee of twolve with power to appoint sub-Committees. be renewed by the retirement of two each year and the re-election of new, not of the

3.-The removal of the Registrar-General from the Committee. There is no objection (and it would perhaps be desirable for many reasons) that the Honograble member who represents the Chinese in the Legislative Council should be ex officio. President or Chairman of the Committee.

-The institution of the Registrar-General as Visitor and Inspector. As such all appointments of detectives, all alterations i rules and regulations, all dispositions of women and children would need his sametion, and there should be an appeal from his decision to the Governor in Council. tial rules and regulations, or postponing incorporation under it until such rales are duly certified and published.

6.—By providing for the cassation of Society in the event of membership falling below a certain figure for a definite time .- By making special provision for detectives as alway set forth.

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Connoil on the 25th April, 1892, (Appendix 29), any Society. It seems unnecessary, therefore, Hoppins presided and there were also present the Lighthouse keepers in the detection of apthat he did not misunderstand me. His Excel- to say that such a discretionary power is lawful." Messes. D. R. Sassoon, A. G. Wood, C. Jantzen, prosching vessels. The Clerk at this Office has Mr. Chater considers the clause should be A. McConochie, J. Kramer (directors), H. Hun- no one to assist him in receiving the mes-I may say that had the Bill come on for the retained. Mr. Whitehead is of the same opinion ter H. H. Joseph, C. J. Holliday, A. B. John: sages that come in. The appointment of au-Coughtrie (Secretary.)

master General for 1892 was laid on the table of the Legislative Connoil on Thursday :-

Hongkong, April 7th, 1893 Sir.-I have the honour to forward the follow

The paragraph of the majority report re have been increased from 20 centimetres by 10 by 5 (8 in. by 4 in. by 2 in.) to 30 contimetres by 20 by 10 (12 in; by 8 in, by 4 in.); the limit of weight, which under the Convention of Paris was 250 grammes (8 oz), was left to be arranged between individual Offices of the Postal Union, and through the representations of the Loudon Office, it was arranged that from the 1st October. packets of patterns or samples of mer handise of a maximum weight of 350 grammes (12 oz.) Balgaria, Congo Frae State, Costa Rica. Egypt, France, Grueco, Guatemala, Hawaii, H lland, Hungary. Italy, Liberia, Luxemburg, Mexico. Portugal, Roumania, Salvador, Sarvia, Siam,

4.-On the 1st July, the British Colony of Natal entered the Universal Postal Union. During the year the French Post Office established agencies in Madagascar, at Ambositra. Ande-Ivondro, Maeyatanana, Mahambo, Mahanoro, Mahela, Maintirane, Munanjary, Merotsaugana, Nossi-ve Antananarivo, Vatomandry, and Volisas also to and from the French Post Offices at St. Mary, Tamatave, and Majanga is subject to the conditions of the Postal Convention. 5.-The past year will be over remembered as

wrecked on Sand Island (Pescadores) on the 10th 10 I Bag for H.M.S.

Do., French, P.O., 6. Do., German, P.O. 6.

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Forming part of these mails there were 76 repacket of correspondence was required at the end from the wreck. One of the letters in the packet was found to contain a Bank note for \$10. This latter was duly forwarded to the adthere it was also possible to forward to their destination. The remainder of the pickage consisted principally of press copies of letters. of In February last a second prokage was received fairly good state, but an fortunately there is nothing to show to whom the book belonged. It is, I think, doubtful whath r anything further

will be recovered. 6. The pillar letter box is referred to in the 5th paragraph of the Postmaster General's report on 1891 arrived, and were set up in the places suggested by him, except that one was placed at the east and of the town in Percival Street instead of near the Tramway Station. This change was made in view of the fact that letter boxes are attached to the Tramcars and the placing of a pillar box at the station seemed approcessary, and would have left the cast ead of the town unprovided for. The wooden letter box at the Police Station at Teimshatsui is still retained. Those formerly erected in the Peak District have been withdraws. Collections from the pillar box No. 1) at the Kowloon Wharves commenced on the 8th August, and up to the 20th the letters collected amounted to 448. The collections from piller layers (Nos. 2 to 6) at Magazine Gap and the Peak District commenced on the 12th August and up to the 20th the letters collected amounted to 64. Unfortunately the collections No. 11 of 1890. At regards our relations with from those boxes have not been recorded separately and they are therefore not included in the annexed table A which shows the number of letters collected from the pillar boxes in the town from August 15th, the date on which colections commenced, to the end of the year. The collections from the pillar boxes in the town from August 15th to 20th amounted to 201 letters. 7.—Table B. shows the number of letters received from and sent to Kowloon and the

Pe k District during the year. Up to the end

of the year by the courtery of the High Level

Pranway Co., our pestmen have been allowed to

ravel free.

8.—Telegraphic communication between the Post Office and the Light-houses at the Gun Rock and Cape D'Aguilar has been established and operations communed on the 1st October. - From this date to the end of the year 1.936 messages were received at this office if this number there were 262 signals of appronohing ressels from Capo D'Aguilar and 53 from Gap Rock. In some instances two or throe steamers have been signalled in the same message. The messages are transmitted members to be elected for six years and to through the Office of the Eastern Extension, Australesian and China Telegraph Co. and the Observatory to Tsimshatsai where signals are holafed. The substance of the message is also notified on a board facing Queen's Road The remaining 1,621 messages consisted of Meteorological Observations which are received four times a day from the Gap Rock and every hour from the Peak. Communication with the Gap Rock was interrupted on October 6th from 10.50 to 11-32 a.m., again on November 26th 6 a m. to Docember 14th 7.30 a.m. The Telegraph Clerk at this Office is on duty continuously from 6 a m. to 6 p.m., for seven days of the week on a salary of \$30 per month. The hours are altogether too long. The Clerk has to be on the watch not only for signals from the Lighthouses but also for the Meteorological reports for transmission 5.—By ambodying in the Ordin mee all essent to the Observatory. Twelve consecutive hours duty is the much to demand from any one, and I am of opinion that there should be two Clerks attuched to the Post Office, one to be on duty in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. As the summer approaches and daylight conkequently lengthens both in the morning and evenings, the signals of passing vessels can be seen at the lighthouses, at a much cartier and much later hour than 6 a.m. and 6 p.m., and the convenience to the Post Office and Shipowners of having the earliest and latest possible information of approaching vessels is obvious. But it would be unfair to expect still longer hours of duty from the clark attached to this Office than An extraordinary general meeting of the he has already. The Clerks at the Lighthouses onjoy, I believe, the advantage of assistance from

at the Lighthouses with the others 9.—Table C shows the number of Parcels required and despatched during the year. The

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ermany	383	380		
ther countries	239	872	63	
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Total	13 300	14 751	1 451	
PARCELS	DERPA	TCHER	. 2,50	. 4.
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Inited Kingdom	5.240	0.401	f. L.Z.	491
Propary	10)	173	1 :11	100
ther countries	2,200	7,57		1,413
		-		
Total international,	7,600	7,423	1,236	1.413
Coast ports	5,000	4,450		550
Total	19 (0)	11 973	1 937	1.903
	14,000	11,010	2,200	1 21000
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10, Table D shows approximately the statistics for the year. Compared with 1891 there has been an increase ander all heads except that of "Lutters on Pastal Business" which shows a

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find Mr. Carvalho, the chief clerk, to blame for not having exercised greater supervision for not having exercised greater supervision of the wounded man require an index of 2dd stamp by A. Hurron Dixon, 43 and 45, over all the clerks and for having permitted of the Chehslen of Tab has have the Bloor St. Tongaro, Canada and have been according to the consist of the Chehslen of Tab has have the Bloor St. Tongaro, Canada and have been according to the consist of the Chehslen of Tab has have the Bloor St. Tongaro, Canada and have been according to the Carried manifestation of the business been an including the Chehslen of Tab has have the Bloor St. Tongaro, Canada and have been according to the Carried manifestation been an including the Chehslen of Tab has have the Bloor St. Tongaro, Canada attendance. I think you very inner that the Bandelson Canada attendance. I think you very inner that the Bandelson Canada attendance.

gun by the Customs House officer. Jackson, at

Swatow a few months ago. A former prefect,

by the high provincial authorities of Canton.

the limited space at their disposal. The According to a native paper translated by the N. C. Daily News, it is rumoured that the preplaints of the literati, who think that that official

following paragraphs in his report under the The chief point of difference between the "lst.—It may invest the funds of the Company

1974 tive. It was a good thing in itself that the Registrar-General, who is to be su affect attendance.

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decrease of 1,250 and that of "Registered Articles with Return Receipts" which shows a decrease of 1,460. Table E gives the figures for the past 11. The total number of mails received and despatched in 1891 and 1892 was as follows:--1891. - 1892. Increase.

Received 2511 3,796 1,2 5 Despatched 3,001 3,466 1,365 12.—As was the case last, year, much annoy. ance has been caused to the Department and the Public by the want of adhesiveness in the Postage Stamps. This is more particularly the case as regards the two-cent stamps, and is perhaps more felt in the dry season than at other times. The matter has been repeatedly brought to the notice of the Crown Agents. The same trouble is, I understand, experienced in other Colonies situated within the tropics.

13.—It would greatly facilitate the work of

returning Dead Letters to the writers if they in full, and if this were done on the covers the for at least three miles in longth and has two oning letter to Mr. Glalstone and dring a reletters would be returned unopened. As it is the greater number have to be opened to dis-the Peak has to be served from a single Post cover the name and address of the swriter, and it Offices, where the staff is fully occupied during is frequently found that the letter, is signed with initials, only, or with a Christian name only, and this in cases where are enclosures of value. The letters have consequently to be perused in the hope of obtaining some clue to the identity

of the writers, 14.-In his roport on 1891, reference was made by the Postmaster General to a Board appointed by His Excellency the Governor to Ordinance 1 of 1887, § 2. enquice what means could be devised to stop the illioit Chinese Post Offices that abound in the Colony.. The Board submitted its report in August last.

Chinese correspondence arriving in or cent from the Colony may be classed as follows:

A. Correspondence recipinating in the Colony and destined for places in China

destined as A. C. Correspondence originating in the in terior of China destined for Hongkong, or Treaty Ports. or places outside Hongkong where there are regularly established Post Offices the bounds. D. Correspondence exchanged between places where regular Post Offices exist.

.s.g. Hongkong and Banckok. as rogards Class A until the establishment of an innon. If there were a Post Office at the Peak, Imporial .. Postal Administration in China to no means of delivering such correspondence As regards Classes B. C. and D. there being no means of detecting such correspondence as does the Convention of Vienna the deficient postage of his rounds with the 9 a.m. deliveries, and perand fine on returned correspondence in recover. haps, does not reach the General Post Office till Princes at Buckingham Palace at cloven o'clock able from the sender, and when possible it is 11.30 a.m. ; it is sent out again at noon. The to-morrow morning and the Prince of Wales

is every year becoming more argent. The Office at noon. And, indeed, it would under gamboat Philomel captured a large dhow with Wchai Warch'se Co. simultaneous despatch of heavy mails such as these circumstances be possible to arrange for 77 captive children aboard. The dhow was fly- Watson & Co. A. S. the English and American, the French and the two-hourly, if not hourly, deliveries all over the ing the French flag when capture i. The papers Canadian, is becoming more frequent, and, at town; wille on mail days the convenience to were in order but children had been kidnapped such times, not only is the work of closing the residents in the suburbs would be very great. and were in a miserable half-starved condition. mails considerably hampered for want of sufficient room; in which to deal with them, but the in- was a letter box attached to the door of each convenience to the public is very great owing house into which the postmen could drop the to the impossibility from the same cause of pro. letters, and pass on without the loss of time inviding extra facilities for the sale of stamps: volved in finding some one to take delivery." And when, as often happens in the summer, the French mail is being despatched, the want of Portugueso for Chinese as letter-carriers could 51 votes. room renders it impossible to deal with the only be ascertained after trial. At any rate the arrival as expeditiously as we desire And not difficulties of contending with old custom would only is the accommodation inadequate for the disappear, and there would be greater certainty that has to be got through, but the office that letters addressed to private residences would has approved the appointment of General is so dark that much of the work has to be delivered as addressed, and not taken to the Stewart to the temporary command of the done by gas light, which is not only a source addressess offices. also very detrimental to health Strangers cosst ports has been carried on in a most satis- filled up at present, owing to the panding reof much discomfort to the staff, but is passing through the Colony who are sequinted factory manner. During the year there were arrangement as regards the Providency com- and 25 rolls mats. For Havre option Hamburg second rank have often remarked upon the dark. rendered most . ficiont service at Canton reness and incommodiousness of this Office. It signed on October 21st, on transfer to Pientsin, is to be hoped that measures will be soon taken Mr. G. D. Pitzipios being appointed to suc. Chester Cup run this day;—Dare Devil, first; burg option London—36 packages bristles. to provide lighter and more roomy offices in cost him; he however, left for England on Red Eagle, second; Ragimunde, third.

which the ever-growing work of the Depart. November 23th, and the duties of the Agency opening of the Imperial Institu detriment to the health of the staff, but ing the remainder of the year. On November The Imperial Institute was opened this mornals to the greater satisfaction of the compunity lat, Mr. H. A. Giles handed over the Niugpo ing with great pompand occumony. The weather at large. The present building may have auf. Agency to Mr. P. F. Hausser, at whose request was brilliant and thousands lined the route from fixed in the early days of the Colony when mails Mr. C. Kilgour was on the 18th appointed Postal Buckingham Palace to the Institute. The were less frequent then they are now, but no un. Agent. On December 13th, Mr. R. W. Hurst Queen drove in an open carriage drawn by six prejudiced person will, I think, deny that it is not resigned the Agency at Foochow, and Mr. E. C. cream-coloured horses. There was a splendid

atmosphere overheated by gas and laden with is under consideration. It is hoped that are her with the key of the building, consisting of dust stirred up by handling the large number of rangements for the issue of postal notes for gold and silver, diamonds, rubbes and pearls, Foodhow mail bags that are almost constantly being re. local use will be completed before long. as in former years, been very unsatisfactory and charge of the postal agencies and to the staff of the stars of the Indian and Colonial orders. hardly a week has passed without the absence this department for the ready assistance render. The great hall of the Institute presented a most through sickness of one or another of the staff statione when he could ill be spared. This could be remedied by lighting the Office with the Electric Light, as was shown by the Postmaster sir, your obedient servant, General in his Report last year. 17.-Table F shews the Revenue and Expen-

The Revenue in 1891 was, \$ 142,770.03 in 1892 \$ 157,699.03 Increase 3 14.929.00 The Expenditure in 1891 was 3 \$ 140,165.01

in 1892 \$ 154,248.30 If we deduct this from the In-

Increase \$ 14,083.29

The nott increase of Bevenue is, The increase of Expenditure is due to the low thing that causes a variation in the amount of poured into the lower deck, but it having no Cape S. James .. rate of Exchange, and the change in the system net profits, will change the value of the goodwill. effect in checking the fire, the lower hold was of accounting referred to below. During the litter it might be necessary every opened. They then found that the fire was between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.12 a.m., depression approaching coast opened. They then found that the fire was between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.12 a.m., depression approaching coast opened. They then found that the fire was between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.12 a.m., depression approaching coast opened. They then found that the fire was between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.12 a.m., depression approaching coast opened. They then found that the fire was between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., between Shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., depression approaching coast to a sum of \$1.171.66 on account of transit. The shanghai and Foodow. On the 25th at 11.20 a.m., depression approaching coast. charges due to this Colony for the year 1891 amount of goodwill. If the object of a balance- been smouldering. To put out the fire the was collected. This amount as well as a sum of sheet is to furnish a statement of facts, and if officers used every endeavour, and in removing \$171.18 interest on Money Order transactions an increase or decrease in the value of goodwill the cargo were well assisted by the Bokbara has been passed to the credit of "Miscellaneous be a fact, then this fact should be faced with the pilgrims, though on the first alarm many of the Receipts' instead of being credited to Postal others.

Revenue as in formed years. If these same had The advantage of treating goodwill as not an The vessel was at the time 150 miles from hear caredited to Postal Revenue. The total amount of Revenue for last lyear would have amount paid for it and meeting it out of the steered for the Arabian coast and early next been \$159,041.87, and there would have been a first three years' profits, is only the doubtful morning ran his ship on the beach. By 9.30 nett increase to the Revenue of \$469.78

hitherto been made three times a day, were last business and receiving a sum for the goodwill. of the 19th was burnt to the water's edge and vear made overy two hours, commencing at 8 Meanwhile the shareholders are led to think the the cargo destroyed. In attempting to leave am. and finishing at 6 p.m. For this purpose | business less valuable than it really is. the town is considered to be that portion of the It is further said that by writing down ed to one of the boats, which capsized, sud City lying between Ship Street and Bonham goodwill you may wipe out your reserve. twenty of their number were drowned. The Strand West and between the Sea and Bobin. This cannot be helped. It my goodwill has rest of the passengers and orew resched the non Road. The portions beyond are regarded as depreciated, as an honest bookkeeper I am shore in safety with the greater portion of their Suburby. Deliveries to the Suburbs are triade bound to confess the fact. I cannot make a belonging and pitched a temporary camp on three times a day and to the Peak and Kowloon | bogus statement of assets in order to bolster up | the beach about three miles from Has Merbat. twice a day. These deliveries cannot be regard- a sham reserve. It is absurd to speak of good- The same morning a party of Bedouins tried to ed as effected at present in a perfectly satisfac- will as "compelled to rank as an asset though surprise the campbut were driven off. Aftertory manner. The experience of the past year it may be valueless." has satisfied me that the causes of this are :-latly .- The want of sufficient room in which

to carry on the work. This is ea socially felt on the days on which the Franch, English and American mails are despatched when local correspondence is liable to get mixed with that intended for the outgoing mail and is only found when the correspondence

which the late Mr. Lister, after careful cone Zealand mail steamer Arrows, who sold him in buggalow, Kling be sched, gutted out with with rain and calme, from Breaker Point to post gidepation, deemed necessary for the officient for \$15.

carrying out of this work, and for which provision has already been made in the TEstimatos. ... The transfer at the second Srdly.-The difficulty that is experienced in | Gasette:making the postmen understand where private residences, such as Marlingford, La Hacienda, and Gleniffer, are situated, and the further difficulty in cases where the of delivering letters at the nearest place of business. Dismissal of the postman for delivering at business places letters which are addressed to private residences has no good effect, for the new postman has to be it the deliveries are more unsatisfactory than they were with the man who has been

Another cause which contributes to the unsatisfactory nature of these deliveries is to be found in the fact that a town, which extends committed to take his trial for sending a threatlarge and important suburbs like Kowleen and volver in the street. the Peak has to be served from a single Post the entire working day from 7 s.m. to 5 p.m. During the celebration in Dublin of the anni-with the despatch and receipt of mails to and versay of the Phonix Park murders, a dynamite from places situated all over the world.

To remedy the defects in the local deliveries, I would strongly recommend the establishment was done and nebody injured. of Branch Post Offices at the Peak and Kowloon, and in the Eastern and Western Saburbs. The powers necessary for this are contained in

. The advantages of having such offices are many and are sufficiently obvious to reader an enumeration of them almost superfluous. But, by way of illustration, take the case of the Poak District. At present, deliveries are effected by means of two postmen who leave the Post Office: at 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. daily. One of these Hydo Park yesterday at which upwards of 60,000 Campbell, Moore&Co. after delivering letters to a portion of the Peak persons were present. The proceedings passed China Borneo other than the Treaty Ports, where the District has to go on to Magazine Cap, and be- off in an orderly manner. Speaches were made China Sugar sides delivering letters they have to clear, the by several members of the House of Commons B, Correspondence originating outside the pillar boxes. It is found that it takes the post- and by some English and foreign Socialists. Colony, as at Saigon, Singapore, &c., and man whose deliveries are confined entirely to the Similar meetings were held at Glasgow, North. Chinese Loan '86 E. man whose deliveries are confined entirely to the Similar meetings were held at Glasgow, North-Dakin, Cruicks'k & Co.

Peak, as a rule, from two to two and a half hours ampton, and elsewhere, and resolutious were Dairy Farm Co. to effect his deliveries and roturn to the Post passed at each place in favour of an eight hours' Office, while the other postman takes, as a rule, working day. from two and a half to three hours, and if they have many letters to deliver it takes longer. The consequence is that letters posted in the pillar boxes before noon never reach the Post Off e in son. time for the moon delivery, and very often not autil after the postmen have started for the 2 It was considered that nothing could be done p.m. delivery. It is the same thing in the after- William Paulet. letters posted there; or in the Pillar Boxes. could be got ready to hand to the postman on

the General Post Office, of this Colony having his arrival at noon and i p.m., and he could at of the Army Bill by the German Reichstog once return to the General Post Office, leaving consider that it andangers the poster of Europe the mails he brought up to be distributed by the las the check may induse the Gorman Govern-Peak Post Office. The letters from the Peak ment to seek diversion in foreign complications. not pass through the Post Offices of the country | would be received at the General Post Office, sorted according to the several delivery districts. done beyond the issue of a Proclamation in and could be sent out at once, and the delay ficers at a review of troops to-day, said he hoped a Chinese explaining the requirements of the law. necessitated by sorting them when they reach the new and patriotic Reichetag would approve of This was done, but it is doubtful if any good General Post Office would be avoided. On mail the Army Bill, and that if not he would do his offect has resulted. In those places where per- days also it would be possible to make provision utmost to atlain the end in view. sons landing have to pass through the Customs; for letters being posted up to say a 1 hour The German Radical papers resent the rean ifregular manner and whom found such cor- the convenience of additional deliveries at the Army Bill in his speech at the review yesterday. respondence is banded over to the Postal Au- Peak. The same argument applies to Kowloon thorities, and double the deficient postage levied, and the Eastern and Western suburbs of the in accordance with the rules of the Postal cown: Take the case of these latter. A person Union, on delivery to the addresses; erit is living in the Western suburbs posts a letter for returned to the Post Office through which it the Elestern suburbs in one of the pillar boxes at should have passed in the first instance. Under | 8 a.m.; it is cleared by the postman in the course

recovered, but it does not often happen that the reply is posted in a pillar box shortly after, but receives them at Marlborough House in the sender can be discovered in such cases. In the cannot reach the General Post Office until the afternoon. event of such correspondence being found to return of the postman from his 5 p.m. deliveries, have been through the Agency of one of these by which time the Post Office is closed and the illicit Post Offices p rhaps a prosecution might letter does not got delivered till next morning. The Times of India's Zansiber correspondent have some good effect. The law having been With Post Offices in these suburbs a letter laments the prospect of the collapse of the heavy explained to them they cannot now plead posted in the West before 8.45 a.m. would reach clove crop awing to the difficulty of obtaining the General Post Office in time to be sent to the the necessary labour. 15 -The need of more suitable accommoda. Eastern Post Office at nine, and the raply would tion for carrying on the work of the department be in time to be desputched to the Western Post ried on to put down the slave traffic the British

Whother any improvement would result from Bill for abolishing the proposed Second Chamber 6 & 7 years' old Malwa... 3560 0 to 1

19 .- The postal work at the agmicies at the of Jommander in Chief of Madras will not be with the commodious Post Offices in other towns several changes in the personnel of the agencies; mands. to which the City of Victoria does not hold Mr. E. T. C. Werner, who for a long time had thant can be carried on, not only with less were undertaken by Mr. F. S. A. Rourne dar-

sufficient for the requirements of the present Wilton was appointed in his stead. 20.— l'able G gives the particulars of money and Colonial detachments. 16 .- Mainly from the necessity of having to order transactions during the year. The quesparform so much of the work of the Office in an tion of a direct exchange with the United States at the entrance of the Institute and presented Tokio... 21.-My thanks are due to the officers in respectively. The head of the key combines Anning

G. STAFFORD NORTHCOTE. Acting Postmaster General. diture for the year as compared with that of The Honograble G. T. M. O'Brien, C.M.G., Colonial Secretary

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinious expressed by our Correspondents.

IS GOODWILL AN ASSETP

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR. - The question is one which may be answered either way, according to the nature of with 979 pilgrims and a crew of 80 man. All Gap Book the business. For a trading Company goodwill went well till the evening of the 17th April, Macso is indubitably an asset, but one of fluctuating when the coal-trimmers reported to Mr. Brolly, value. Movements of population, the success of who was on watch, that smoke was coming from rival firms, the position of offices, in fact any the bankers, and in consequence water was Manila

been oredited to Postal Revenue, the total asset, but debiting profit and loss with the land and the Captain finding the flower gaining, Barometer one of being able later on to credit one's self the bridge was well slight and before nightfall 18 - Local deliveries to the town, which had with an apparent gain on selling part of the all had left the steamer, which by the morning

diently yours, Hongkong, 26th May, 1893.

alive to England is now; says Vanity Fair, on ranged with him to convey the crew and officers For that mail is sorted, which is probably view at the Zoological Gardens. Hitherto the to Muscat in his craft. The Captain and crew not until after the delivery bour has passed, willy importer has always been baffled by the left Merbat on the 22nd and arrived near Mos-With an view to remedy this, special drop difficulty of getting a live specimen safely cat on Sunday the 30th, when chief officer Broiboxes have been provided for posting local through the tropies. Although only a young ly, owing to the buggalow becoming becalmed, correspondence. But an even bird, he measures if it from tip to tip, and when proceeded to Musest in the buggalow.

The following telegram was received from light southerly wind and showery with thick fog light southerly wind and showery with the light southerly wind and showery with thick fog light southerly wind and showery with the light southerly wind and shower wind an analysis wind an analysis wind an ana in the sampledrop box as letters for the to measure in ft., and be able to fly at the rate Manora by Hajee Cashum from Captain at times throughout of 150 miles an hour, He was brought over tied Schumacker; -- Dector, 222 pilgrims and myself 2ndly.—These deliveries Base been attempted under an awning, and fed with liberal rations have arrived. "Orew following in another without the appointment of the fall staff of salt pork by the second officer of the New present. Remaining pilgrims left for Muscat hat 22nd May, had light 8.E. and N.E. winds

LATE TELEGRAMS. The following telegrams are from the Rangoon THE BIREIM-TIDET QUESTION.

ALLAHABAD, 11th May, The negotiations under the Sigkim-Thibet treaty are not likely to close for some time as private residence is known to them, of in- China has put for card new proposals regarding ducing them to depart from the old custom the import of Indian to into Thibet and these are now under consideration. THE VACCINATION LAWS.

LONDON. 12th May. In the House of Commons last night, Mr. Asquith introduced a Bill to abolish repeated taught his district, and while he is learning penalties for the non-vaccination of children. The Bill was read a first time. THE ATTACK ON THE PARMIER. LONDON. 12th Bay.

The man Townsend, who was arrested for loitering outside Mr. Gladstone's house, has been

DINAMITE IN DUBLIN. LONDON, 8th May. bomb was exploded outside the law courts but heyond the smashing of the windows, no damage THE PAMIES QUESTION.

LONDON, 8th May. The Pamire Commission, which will be Busso-British one, has not yet been appointed; nor can it be until the basis of the demarcation of the frontier has been settled by negotiations batween Great Britain and Russia. THE EIGHT HOURS QUESTION.

A great labour demonstration took place in Brown & Co., H. G.,

LONDON, 8th May. The death is announced of Sir James Ander- Hongkong & C. Gas. LONDON, 10th May. The death is announced of Field Marshal Lord

THE GERMAN ARMY BILL. St. PRTEBBURG, 8th May. The Russian press, in discussing the rejection

The Emperor William, in addressing his of-

BERLIN, 11th May.

LOND N. 9th May. The Queen yesterday inspected the Indian Native Cavalry detachment at Windsor. INDIAN PRINCES IN ENGLAND. LONDON, 9th May.

The Dake of Connaught receives the Indian

BOMBAY, 8th May.

Since further active measures have been car-

The deliveries would also be expedited if there They were liberated and the dhow was detained. HOME RULE BILL. LONDON, 11th May ... Mr. T. W. Russell, member for South Tyrone, introduced an amendment to the Home Rule 3, 4, & 5 years old Malwa 3550 1 to 34

> THE PRESIDENCY COMMANDS LONDON, 11th May.

LONDON, 10th May. OPENING OF THE IMPERIAL INSTITUTE. LONDON, 10th May.

The Prince of Wales received Her Majesty Wladivostock from Africa, Australia, Burmah, and Ceylon Amoy

unity of the Empire. Her Majesty shook hands warmly with the Indian Princes who were present. There was a great evation along the route when the Dake of York and Princess May drove | Wladivostock

together in the same carriage to the Institute. LONDON, 11th May Lord Sheffeld's Eleven have defeated the Amor Australians by eight wickets.

THE LOSS OF A PILGEIM STEAMER.

BOMBAY, 10th May, The Khiva left Bombay on the 12th ultimo

the burning ship, a number of pilgrims rushwards several friendly natives arrived from Mer-The authority on the subject is Chas. E. Allen, but and offered to protect the crow and pilgrims "The Law relating to Good . ill." (188).)-Obe- on the latter following them to the town. Their offer was accepted, the pilgrims being then

safety by being leasted on the beach. In the meantime the Shelk of Dhofar arrived The only albatross that has ever been brought in a buggalow and Captain Schumacker ar-Are and half full with water near Merbak.

The British steamer Promethens, from Liver-COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. pool, and Singapore 20th May, had fine weather throughout; light S. and S.W. winds until Thursday; thence N.N.E and fine to port. THUBSDAY, 25TH Bley. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. The British steamer Lightning, from Calcutta EXCHANGE. 10th May, and Singapore 20th, experienced fine weather with light S.W. winds in the Bay of

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16 ing of the 16th just. MEBOHANT STEAM CRE The N. G. I. steamer Bisagno left Singapore

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did not equal bis anticipations. What he has could be done that night, read in b ous - poetry and prose - had through halo around the Latin quarfer, and be was there-The romance was surdid and merceriary, and one more meeting behind the church : after a few months of it be yearned for some

it when he abandoned the search for it.

M'Lane's theory was that luck had become had a longer view of the sweet face they benches in the row. belonged to. It was evident that the young sirl had been admiring his work, which was beside him said.

As he gazed stapidly at the fifth bench a man if what had occurred had been but an amusing interlude. I saw her take her place beside her more than the could hope to have the professor

at Julien's do. Lack of assurance was never considered even by his dearest friend-to be among M.Lane's feelings He was from his painting stool, bowed and asked her if she would not sit down for a memont—she sould sea the the painting so much better. The girl heakily, did not suewer, but turned a frightened look upbit bim, and fled under the wing of her kneeling duenns, who had not yet finished ber devotions: Been briefer that those of the old woman in whose charge the was. Where the need is greatest the prayer is often the shortest "M'Line had one more transitory glance of those dark eves as he soross his forehead. held open the swinging door. The wad nacious This was bow it begun.

. The painting of the coloured window of Netre Dame now occupied | lmost ull the time at the dispossi of Hector M'Lane. No great work is ster accomplished without unwaaried persever now on the tongue of all in the North w finitely made up his mind to abindon the tank when that happened which sent the country t Before he allowed the swinging door to close he bed with long candles for the rest of the mount had resolved to pursue his study in colour. It I was at Glendo is Castle that night, and ing a few whiteper d words with her in the dim worst horror of all assome would have it. shadow of one of the gigantic pilture. After that progress was comparatively eas.

a perfectly guildless and innocent little creature sight of it; and in the deplicat (but never before anch was be was manigid to clude the vigilance, wine) they will speak the name of her ter r, and of the aged and experienced woman who had her so secount for 1200 A.F. being known in the on place in the little park behind Notre Dame, as the year of the devil There they sat on a bench facing the fountain. I am not sufficiently old-fachioned for such or walked up and down on the ordinabing ginvel story, and rather believe that the thing was Oil these occasions M. Lane had to content him: of scandal that has not yet been out level wit self with gening from afar.

nothing of this would ever reach her ears. evitable day of reckoning was approaching, this Men said furtively that this thing was the heir. accounted for the somewhat turdy awakening of and again there was the dovil's shadow in the

he remembered that she knew his address, have search for a minister brave enough to pray it was much better that it should take place on the corpse's chest, in Paris rather than where the nice girl lived. There are many such stories of the thing, the explanation and bring on the avalanche, their eyes so quickly that no two drow the same but when the time came he postponed it. But likeness. But this is no great matter, for what the inevitable ultimately arrives. He had some they say they saw I will not tell, and I would difficulty at first in getting her to understand that none had ever told me. the situation clearly, but when he at last suc. There have been four earls since then; but, if ceeded there was no demonstration. She the tale of the thing is true, not one of them merely kept her eyes fixed on the gravel, and lawful earls. Yet, until September 4, 1890, gently withdraw ber hand from his. To his since the time of the Left-Handed Earl, it has surprise she did not cry, nor even answer him, always been the same black a ryant who waited but walked silently to and fro, with downcast on the thing, so that many mervelled, and o lied eyes, in the shadow of the church. No one, those two one, as they were not. Of the curls he said, would ever compy the place in his I have nothing to tell that could not be told by beart that the held. He was engaged other men, save this that they puched their halls to the other girl, but he had not known what by night, and have over had an air of listening. love was until he met Yevette. He was bound not to what was being said to them, but as if anguish of body never. This proves that the to the other girl by ties he could not break. for some sudden cry from beyond. which was quite true, because the nice wirl had . It is not a pretty story, except what is told of our happiness, than the health of the body, ala rich father. He drew such a pathetic picture the monster's leve of children; and though, until though both are deserving of Much more attenof the loveless life he must in the future lead September, 4, 1890, I never halleved what was tion than ofther received. In protracted cases that a great wave of self pity surged up within told of the thing and these children, I believe it of disease it is the continual mental strain and him and his voice wavered. He felt shoot re- now. What they say is, that it was so savage werry that enervates and finally undermines the sentful that she should take the separation in that not even the black servant could have gone whole system and destroys the vital spark. How such an unemotivital manner. When a man gets. Within reach of it and lived; yet, with children many men apparently licalthy to-day are lying what he most desires he is still unsatisfied. This scarce strong enough to walk, save on a l fours, in a cold grave a week hence. They are negli-

All things come to an end, even explanations, with a mother's care for them. "Well, good-by, Yevelte," he skid, bolding There are men of all ages in these parts who becomes apparent to every man sooner or later, out his hand. She besileted an instant, then, hold that they were with it in their childhood and wise is he who never neglects the symptoms without looking up, placed her palm in his and loved it, though now they shudder at a pic. of disease but taked scautious, as did a gentlewhile the fountain beside them splashed and some of them, doubtless, are liars. It may be I am a patron of your wonderful Clements trickled musically. The shadow of the church wondered why the lords of Glendowie dared let l'onio; I have been a great sufferer, and read of was slowly creeping theards them over the s child into the power of one that would have Mrs. Mostler's ours in the newspapers, her oase gravel. The park was deserted except by them- broken themselves across its knee; and reasons was nothing to mine, but, thank God! through selves She tried gently to withdraw her hand are given-the fire, that it knew when there has letter I am oured, and after the doctors had

he asked, with a touch of reprodob to his voice. | been brought to it; the other, that compassion great pleasure in adding my testimony to that which were slipping from his grasp, and the knew. Of these children some were of the the use of Chaments Touic; I have suffered shadow touched her forti

She quickly withdrew her hand from his. If half of the stories be true they would let it I had dull headache, completely lost my appor shook her bead, and turned away. He watched foss them sportively in the air, and they would tite, and was almost blind-failure of sight is her notil she was out of sight, and then walked sit with their arms around its neck whilst it a symptom of Bright's disease -1.d). I had slowly towards his rooms on the Boulevard St. made toys for them of splinters of wood or music ligger claw cramps in the calves of my less and Germain. His though a were not comfortable. by rattling its chains, i need not may that care severe chaumatic pains, followed by diar hour He was disappointed in Yevette. She was so was taken to keep these meetings from the strength continued to fail, accompanied by exolever, so witty, that he had at least expected parents of the children, in which conspirately the treme pallor of the face puffed under the eyes he felt be thoroughly deserved. He had no ides prattle of their new friends allayed suspicion ankles, and my who'e hody was swollen to a she could be so heartless. Then his thoughts rather than arouse it.
turned to the nice girl at home. She, too, had Severtheless queer rumours are in recent heart and frequently chills and fever would claments in her character that were somewhat times, which, I dare say, few believed who came attack me. The swelling was so had that I was bewildering to an honest young man. Her letters from a distance, yet were they sufficiently dis- a raid to even drink a glass of water. I confor a long time had been infrequent and up quieting to make guests leave their children a limit declor, and he ramined my water, and satisfactory. It couldn't be possible that she at home; and, as I understand, on September 4, he said it was a bad case of liver disease, and had beard anything. Still. There was nothing 1890, several years had passed since a child had also Bright's disea e of the kidneys; he preto that when he resched home. " many guests, and one child, who had been it bed but is. I said, " lector, if you will cure me, I

the boulevard. There was a foreign stamp on the envelope, and it was from the nice girl. There The occasion was the coming of uge of the said. That is very hard. I never like to had been a mintake, she wrote, but happily she beir, and seldom. I suppose, has there been such take a man's money, said he, without telling had discovered it before it was too late. She a company in a house renowned for hospitality, him the truth and I will come to you at any bitterly represented herself, taking three pages. There were many persons from different parts, hour of the night you may send for me. Ho to do it in; and on the fourth page he gatheral which means London, and all the great folk of thought I should soon die. I gave his treatment that she would be midrled by the time he tend our country, with others not so great, in that a fair trial but the swelling of my body inthe letter. There appeared to be no doubt that gathering, though capable of making a show, at creased so much that I had to remain in bed; the nice girl fully realised how basely she bad me t

Like so many other noble, talented men, he was by her side.

might not be poor. The more he pondered over quick glances between him and his wife. I know | taking it strictly in accordance will, the direc-

fore disappointed in finding the like missing pleased when he read its contents, it asked for after lightning for the thunder.

as luck was not against the young man he found sixth beach—the furthest from the church.

M'Lane was overjoyed at his great luck. He door. some semblance of the splendour of foolour that | was unusual, but always possible. She might of us heard this conversation: came through the huge rose window bigh labove not have succeeded in getting away. The him. He was discouraged to see how opaque the quarter and then the half-hour passed before colours in the canvas were as compared with the M'Lane began to suspect that he had been

transluceht blies of the great window. As be leaned back with a sigh of defeat his wandering missed the thought. Such a thing was so unlike her. He walked around the little lark, beautiful than the stained glass, as the handiwork of God must always be more beautiful than the bench lie re.d the letter again. It could have forced us to seem once more as we the beautiful than the beatiful than the beautiful than the beautiful than the beatiful th

> "What do yo mean?" oried M'Lago, turning towards him astenished at the remork. "It was there that the young girl was found dead this morning-poisoned, they say." M Lane stared at him-and then he said

"Who-who was sha !" "Nobody knows that -yet. We will soon know, for everybody, as you see, is going into It was deident that the prayers of the girls had the morgue. She's the only one on the beach to-day. Batter go before the crowd gets greater. I have been twice. M'Lson sank on the seat and drew his hand He knew she was waiting for him on the sixth woman and the conscious girl passed out of the beach—the furthest from the church.—Detroit by elsewhere, many of the women craten, only Free Press.

THE CASTLE'S SECRET.

Much of the story of the Glandowie money ance. It was remarkable that the re likation of are not afraid to speak has been born of agir this truth came upon him just after he had do faucies since the night of September 4, 1890 thus happened, incidentally; that he saw the heard the scream that made night two hundred young girl again and sgain, slysys at the same people suddenly stand still in the dance; but of hour and always with the same companion. What is now being said I take no stock, this king Once be succeeded, unnoticed by the elder, julit damning to a nuble house; and of what was slipping a note into her hand, which he was said before that night I will only repeat the pleased and flattered to see she retained and native gossip and the story of the children, donosaled. Another day he had the joy of have which I take to be human, rather than the

There are those in Glandowie who hold that this thing has been in the castle, and there hold ther name was Yevette. he loarned; and he down by chains, since the year 1200, when the was amused to find with what expert destarity wild Lady Mildred gave it birth and died of in charge. The stolen interviews divially took nals of that house not as a year of our Local, at

under the trees. In the afternoons they walked never in the castle until the conduct from the in the secluded part of the park, in the shadow of him who was known as the Left-tlanded of the great church. It was her enstore to send Earl," which happened a matter of 7 ye range. him dainty little notes, telling him when sha! The secret manner of his coming and the oldexpected to be in the rark giving the number ness of his intents, with a wild story of his clearof the berch, for sometimes the duenus could ing the house of all other servants for lifteen not be eluded and was scated there with Yevette. days, during which he was not july, this dis cro the sarth. To be plain, it is said by those who She was so much in earnest that the partiod- believe witchoraft to be done with that the Left laremotion which occupied the placent conscience Handed vari brought the thing from Africa. in M'Lane's being was troubled. He thought and in fifteen days had a home made for it in the of the nice girl at home, and for ently hoped castle-a home that none could find the way to save himself and a black servant, who frequently He was an eaby-going young fellow, who disappeared for many days at a time, yet was nated trouble, and perhaps, knowing that the in. known always to be within whistle of his master

story, as if the devil could be a woman. He sometimes thought it would be best simp. Half a dentury ago the Left-tlanded Early to leave Paris without any explanation, but died, and they will tell you of a three-days. ing written to him often, and that by going the open coffin, and that in the middle of the to the school she could easily find out where prayer the mourners rose to their feet and ran his home was. So, if there was to be a scene, out of the room, because of something squatting

He nerved his self up many times to make against which all who might have seen shut

was exactly the way he hoped she would take it, it would play for hours, even as they played, but gent of their health and think they can shake

They stood thus for a moment under the trees, ture they recall, I think, but vaguely. And man who writer: - write to let you know that were children in the castle, and would have pronou ced centence of death on me. I am very "Have you nothing to my to me. Yevette?" broken down walls to reach them had they not grat ful to Mrs. Moster for her letter. I have She did not snawer. He held ber fingers induced the earle to give it the only pleasure it of the many others our dot serious diseases by tenantry, and others of guests in the castle, and terribly from liver and kidney discase. Two "Yavelte, you will at least kiss me good-bys ?" I have not heard of one who dread d the monster. yours ago my strength began capidly to declare,

would have said something toutting, which children unconsciously joined, for the pleasant and persistent swellings of legs, knees, and

treated a talented, hard-working, aspiring, steel. After the denoing begins no man is ever a side, and my everight was now almost completely ing young man, but the malisation had not prominent figure in a room to those who were gone. I consulted another eminent medical seemingly postponed theringing of the wedding there to look ou, as I was; and I now remember ann, who, after sounding me and testing my bells to soy appreciable extent. the two which my eyes followed with the greatest uring, said I had Bright's disease. I asked it Young M Tinns swished the letter in his hand pleasure, our hostess, a woman of winning man- he rould our me, he said he would do bis best and laughts a hards dry laugh at the perform ners, yet cold when need be, and the lady who and if I would continue his inedicine I should woman. Then bis thoughts turned towards was shortly to become her daughter-a languid improve; I did so and it had but little more Yerette. What's pity it was she was not right girl, pretty to look at when her lover, the heir, effect than water. I'we friends of mine called Enddesly it occurred to him that Yevette now of a haggard look on the Earl's face and of by Clements Tonic. I procured a supply, and

the matter the more estenished he was that that the heir denced much to keep himself from tions, the swelling began to go down, I kept up She was in cornect : be was not. When that he had ever taken her poverty for grants thinking, and his arm chattered on the water the use of Clements Tonic, and now, thank God, The occurrence may be common by comic, or mober in Prin. He remembered that he desthing that night. tragio, depending on the temperationt and ex- wore a watch which flashed with jewels on But I was present and I am per maded that bottles, but that is nothing As IT HAS (URED perience of the womar. In this instance the one occasion, when he had soon it for a moment at that fine all that me and I cannot describe its value. Yours bas now been result was merely so appointment, which both He wished he had postponed like xplaintion for gover was a grayer some even at Glendowie, truly, Thomas Irvine, Ta ham, N.S.W. our one more day; still that was something easily never a bost and hostess more cordial, never a ferers must see that they get Clements Tonic Heotor M'Laho time to Paris with mable re- remedied. He would tell her he had thrown more anxious to be courteous to only as many swindles are on the market. F colutions, a theory of colons; and a small allow- over the other girl for her sake. Like a pane all and more than courteons to one. Lance M. Clements, 212, A' Beckett-street, Melbourne. ance. Paris played haven with all of these. He there came to him the remembrance that he did succeeded dance. The hour was late, but an-

was engaged to a nice girl at home, who believed not know her address, nor even her family name, other waitz was began. Then suddenly him destined to become a grout painter-a delu- Still, she would be sure to visit the little park. And at once the music stopped, and the dancers and he would haunt it until she came. This were as still as stone figures. It had been a He entered with great gest into the life of a beauting would give additional point to his horrible, inhuman recease, as fond and shrill as Perisian art strident but somehow the experience. story of consuming love. Anyhow, nothing to trans way through all the wells of the eastle seream, not of point, but of triumph of this In the morning he was overjoyed to received i must have lasted helf a minute and the il com a letter from levette, and he was more than whence but still no one moved; we willed as The first person I saw was the Earl. His face

"I could not tell you to day," she wrote, " all was not white, but gray. His teeth were fixed. I felt. To-morrow you shall know if you meet and he was staring at the door, waiting for it to In Paris you may have mearly everything Do not fear that I will repreach you. You will open. Some men hestened to it, and he cast except the something better. It exists of receive this letter in the morning. At twolve out his arms and drove them back. But he 2643 bonise, but rarely falls in the way of the usually polock I shall be waiting for you on the sixth never looked at them. The heir I saw with his impecunious art students. So it happened that bouch on the row south of the fountain-the hands over his face. Many of the men stepped in front of the women. There was no whispering. I think. We all turned our eyes to the

much after the subdued in colour. He wabted the spot and sat down on the last bench of the swooned; but we gave her not a glance) when werden im Juhra 1893 durch den 'OSTASIATISE to be able to paint things as the were, and was row facing the fountain. Yevette had not yet the door opened. It was only the African ser- CHEN LLOYD" und die "Hongkong DAILY not to be deterred if his pictures were called arrived, but it was still half an hour before the who entered, a man most of us had heard PRESS "erfolgen. gandy. He obtained permission to set up his time. M'Lane read the morning paper and of but few had seen. He made a sign to the easel in the church of Notre Dame and in the waited. At last the bells all around him chimed Farl, who draw back from him and then stepped dim light there be endeavoured to place on canvas | the hour of twelve. She did not come. This forward. The heir burried to the door and some Not you, father; mo."

"Stay here, my san; I entrest, I command !" Both." said fle servant, authoritatively. the musicians. She was smiling graciously as partner and begin the waitzagain with the music.

All looked at her with amazement, dread pity, sum icion, but they had to dance, "Does she know nothing ?" I asked myself overhearing her laughing merrily as she was whirled past me. Or was this the woman's part in the tragedy while the men were doing theirs? What were they doing? It was whispered in the ball-room that they

were in the open, looking for something that and escaped from the castle. An bour I duresay passed, and neither the Barl nor his son had returned. The dancing went on but it had become an uncaphy seene. every one trying to read the other's face, the men uncomfortable, as if feeling that they should the Countess in high spirits.

By this time it was known to all of us that the door of the ball-room was locked on the outside. Linests bade our hostess good-night but ould retire no further. One man dared request her to bid the servants to unlock the door; she smiled and asked him for the next waits. About two o'clock in the morning many of us beard a child's scream that came, as we thought,

from the hall of the castle. A moment afterwards we again heard it—this time from the shrubbery. I saw the Countess' shake with fear at la-t, but it was only for a moment. Already she was beekening for the musicians to continue playing. One of the guests stopped them by raising his hand; he was the child's father. "You must bid your servants unbar that door or I will force it open." he said to the Counties,

You cannot leave this room, sir," she answer Then he broke out passionately, fear for his child mestering him. He said something about "There is some one on the other side of that

door who would not liesitate to kill you," she We all know that she spoke of the native

" Order him to open the door." " I will not." In another moment the door would have been broken open had she not put her back against it. Her eyes were now flushing.

The men looked at each other in doubt, and knew they were for tearing her from the door, It was then that we heard the report of a gun. It is my belief that the Countess saved the if of her guest by preventing his leaving the hall room. For close on another hour she stood at the door, and the servants gathered around her like men ready to support their mistress. We were now in groups, whispering and listening, and I will you what I heard, believing it to bo all that was heard by any of us, though some of those present that night now tell strange tales. I heard a child laughing, and I doubt not that we were meant to hear it to appears the parent's fear. I heard the tramp of men in the hall and

on the stairs, and afterwards an appleasant dirge from above: A corriage drove up the walk and stopped at the door. Then came heavy noises on the steir us of some heavy weight being slowly moved down it. By and by the carriage drove off. The Earl retained to the bullroom, but no onwas allowed to leave it until daybreak. I lost sight of the Countess when the Earl came in, but many say that he whispered something to her, to which she replied, "Thank

Gol!" and then fainted. No explanation of this old affair was given to the sompany, but it is believed that the thing. whatever it was, was shot that night and taken away by the heir and the servant to Africa there to he baried .- J. M. BARRIE, in News of the

DOES TERROR KILL?

Auguish of mind has driven many to suicide.

health of the mind is of far more consequence to larary attack off, the effect of such f olishness

An explanation awaited bim in his rooms on for some hours when the thing broke loose. | will PAY YOU WHAT YOU LIKE. He replied, the pains increased and extended all down the my attention to Mrs. Meller's letter in the

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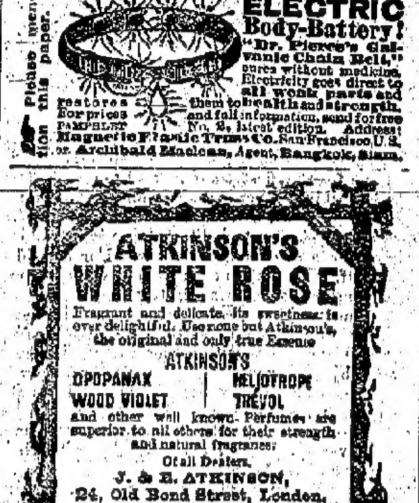
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up in an ancient house at the foot of one of the streets leading from the Strand to the giver. They were cheap, for the young lieutenant of the Catapult had to husband his resources : but they were comfortable, they were clean, and because they were high up they posse sed an unrivelled view. To left and right the river wound its way between the stately Embankment of the one side, and the orazy wharves of the other. In the greenness of summer, in the greyness of winter Gerald always found the prespect from his watch tower a pleasure for his gaze, and of nights, summer nights, it gratified him much to open his windows and lean out, propped on his alburs, far into the night, and to fancy himself. like the poetle notary of Jean Paul Richter's story, with his eyes in the stars and his soul in the blue other. It pleased him too to fancy that from the high pitch of his lodging he could look down like another Diogenes Teufelsdrookh upon the abourd imbroglio of the world beneath him and survey it with the calm eyes of a serene impartial philosopher. Gerald Aspen was still Yer. vonng.

On the morning after his meeting with the ourious stranger in the club, he awoke at a late upon him. He had gone to his social entertainto the ladies of the Frivolity Theatre-and he had denced a little and supped a little, and finally he had come away and walked home and chiming half-past three when he put out his share of the fortune. as he lay half awake and looking at the ennshine coming through his window, the great clock chimed again and he lay lasily listening to its strokes. " I wonder what time it is," he said to himself, luxuriously enjoying his monarchy of the Lubberland of bed; "it must be getting on to ten o'clock." But the chimes did not stop t the tenth stroke. They went on for two strokes beyond

" Twelve o'clock |" said Gerald. " By Jose, T am late this morning." and he assured himself mentally that he must get up immediately and go shout the day's work. - But he did not get up immediately and go about the day's work, for his wakened mind was occupying itself with the night's work. A confused medley of memories finate | before him : the pretty drasses and pretty faces of last night's dancers, and through all the praity faces and the pretty dresses he was anxious woman's face, framed in the open window of a carriege. It was a very beautiful face, crowned with soft, golden hair-s face in which a curious The fourth name on the list was that of Nonh expression of melancholy contrasted with its Bland, opposite which was written: "Lynched," girlish freshbess-a face with very bright eves. followed by a date some two months earlier. His which also were full of melancholy. I brough beir was stated to be his con, Japhet Bland, but all his dreams that face had floated, alluring, in- no address was added nor any hint as to his spiring: blending strengly with the fantastic vision of dancing feet and laughing lips, which his last night's revel had set stirring in his dreaming brain. Now, awake, he sighed for it. one word : " Vamosed." In this case the name pathy. Gerald took it for a moment in his. He as one does sigh on awaking for some visionary, of no heir was given phantom of delight that has greated the alseper to the kingdom of dreams. Then the sign Nothing was written opposite, and no hoir's from the semblance of making too free with the changed to a smile, as Gerald remembered that the beautiful, wistful fine was no mere organion of sleep, but the face of a living girl, of a girl whom he was likely soon to meet, the face of Fidelia Locke.

But there was another memory haunting him the site she had found for her Culture College as well as the memory of the face of idelligation site she had found for her Culture College Locks. It was a perplexing memory of something not beautiful, of something fantastic, something incongraous, which worried him because he could not quite realise it, could not, as it were, pleas together the puzzle of shifting the suddenness with which such things do some, of the wonders of the neighbourhood. She The chaos of scattered memories combined and evolved the form of a big man in yellow ditions to the stately old house; she ran all garments, and the picture of his companion at the various gardons into one, which was laid out dinner on the previous evening rose before him. | with such skill that it actually seemed rather a Immediately Gerald's mind proceeded along the park than a large garden. It really was an bered by any help from a father's hand. It may and andden bailstorm; Now she seemed self track of the entire spisode at the Voyagers' preposterons, that he decided within himself moreover, the Physic Garden was just across the likely to endear a father to his son. that the whole story must be at the fair collegians of the Culture that he felt the loss of his father as Miss Locke find out the truth about a parent's death and less than a dream, begatter of a late support and less than a dream, begatten of a late supper and the production of a column of copy thereafter. But even as he came to this sober decision be turned his eyes towards his dressing table and saw lying there, in the spot wher the had placed it the previous night, the leather pocket-book which the mysterious stranger had insisted upon

entensting to his cars.-"Then it's not a dream, after all." Gerald enid in surprise, and the sense of his surprise until the moment when be rang his bell for his at the Culture College to which Gerald Aspen got his name already. " what he voice landla by to bring him his breakfast. Before the had been bidden, and of which Lady Scarda's chok-d-" what he died of?" breakfast errived he did what till then he had delived doing, out of a whim for re erving the convincing proof of the reality of his vision to the moment when he was definitely equipped to fare the world. There it was, no doubt of it, ight as he had left it last night—the same black leather pocket-book fustened with a silver clasp which Garald had, in spite of his very natural curiosity, left unopened.

Ger ld thought of the hero of the French story who do ame that he is visited by a princess black packet-book was a far more a rious respon-ibility than the pantonils of a daughter of the Pyramids, and he resolved to return it to its rightful owner at the very earliest opportunity. As he made this resolve his breakfast strived accompanied by the morning's papers. To Gerald, as an adventurous journalist, the morning paper was a treature house of delightful possibilities, and when he had poured himself a oup of tea he carefully unfolded one of the iournals and proposed it up before him on the table at the most convenient angle for reading. The first thing that caught his eye was a

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property of the dead man in his possession, with sent to her mind. a partion of a very singular story told by the Did this gentleman, she said to the girl in a Gerald told her all that he knew. She flinched and I had less palu, and by continuing with the dead man still fresh in his memory. It was low tone, "ask to see me—in the first instance?" from nothing, and neither did he now. He gave medicine I gradualligated strongth. By-and-Anson, British str., 1,868, W. Mulle, May 23, clear'y Gerald Aspen's duty to lay, and that "Yes, Lady Scardate. He usked if Miss her all the reasons, all the hopes he could for the by, as if by magic, it the pain from the piles By, as if by magic, it the pain Soth Culckering, before the proper authorities, and then he asked if he might see you. He said of the fights so common in that region. The I have never alled authing since, although three and to entrust the mysterious pocket-book to he would rather see you first."

Gerald felt a ceatain professional satisfaction in around her and saidbeing so of soly implicated in the St. James's "I shall be back in a few minutes, I hope," dolph, or rather Ratt, Gundy. mystery : man is not one of the favourite and she followed the girl into the house and into light none of the Cataputt for nothing, and it her own study, where Geraki Aspen was waiting "I can't make it out, but there is something other sufferers may benefited. I am a tailor's Borneo, Dutch str., 1.450, Thousander, 2 ay 19, was not unnatural that an enthusiastic journal. for herist should experience a thrill of satisfaction on Lady Scardale was absent rather longer than Had be nothing to do with the murder, do you sale clothier in Queb Street, Leeds, for over Chine, American at thrill of satisfaction on Lady Scardale was absent rather longer than Had be nothing to do with the murder, do you sale clothier in Queb Street, Leeds, for over Chine, American at thrill of satisfaction on Lady Scardale was absent rather longer than Had be nothing to do with the murder, do you sale clothier in Queb Street, Leeds, for over Chine, American at thrill of satisfaction on Lady Scardale was absent rather longer than Had be nothing to do with the murder, do you sale clothier in Queb Street, Leeds, for over Chine, American at thrill of satisfaction on Lady Scardale was absent rather longer than Had be nothing to do with the murder, do you sale clothier in Queb Street, Leeds, for over Chine, American at thrill of satisfaction on Lady Scardale was absent rather longer than the satisfaction of the satisfac reflecting bow very much his ewn ponenal would she expected to be. She did, not some back to hink?"

all London must now be talking. drop the compromising pocket-book into the indoors or departed. finished his breakfast, assored himself of the atsuding. presence of the mysterious pocket-book in his

oreast pocket, buttoned his overcoat heroically, to speak to you." and started off for Boutland Yard. covery of the pecket-book and the story of the him. The poor disherman in the Arabian tale was not more astaunded when the jar his not had captured proved to, be the prison of a genis than Gerald was when the necket-book which had gome so carlonaly into his position was openquantity of vary valuable diamonds embedded.

ed and its contents were revealed The pooketbook contained in the first instance an immense as quot treasures usually are by the adept. in this layers of guita parcha. Then came two ; in sudden tears. sealed envelopes. The first con sixed a formal copy of the agreement which Sath Chickering had told Gerald of the agreement binding every member of the little association in a common bond. The second envelope contained the names of all the members of the association, with the names of all the persons to whom in the case of hear it now, or would you rather wait until some see him it shall be made easy for you." hour, but still with a sense of fatigue strong the death of the original owners the money was other time?" to go on the first day of the next January. To ment-it was a ball given by a great financier Gerald's atter apagement the first name on the rather hear it now." list was his own. John Aspen was the oldest Lady Scardale turned and made a sign to see this extraordinary Mr. Ratt Gundy? Partly member of the association. John Aspen was Gerald. He had stood where she left him, watch- perhaps out of a natural and manly reluctance to

light and slipped with the swiftness of still un- . The names of the company were carefully set | two women. spoiled youth into the spaces of droams. Now, forth in the document, and after each of the names something was written in pencil by Seth Gerald Aspen, who has some sad and strange in manhood-notions for which, he it observed, Chlokering. The first name, as we have seen, news for you. Mr. Aspen, this is Miss Looks." was that of John Aspen. Opposite that Chicker- Gerald bowed. If the girl had looked beauti- always thank him. And then, too, deep down in lug had written " Doad. Overdose chloral taken ful last night smiling in the darkness she was the depths of his heart was a jealous feeling that y mistake."

The next name on the list was that of Captain | though her face was so intensely sad. Chickering had written: "Killed in fair fight his story." And Lady Scardale led Fidelia to a quite possible to fancy that a girl might be heritor of his fortune was stated to be a Miss again directly."

Fancy the thrill that went through Gerald's heart. Last night be had been weaving fancies Los to-and now!

to parsue two other memories, somewhat form. George Percy Raven, second son of Lord Walling. He told her of the murder of Seth Chickering, less and intengible, which he was trying ton. Opposite his name was written: "Found of berfather's death, and his faither's death, and least that a great sum of money is coming to reduce to clearer proportions. At last the | dead outside camp, n urdered by Noah Bland." of the fortunes that were so strangely bequesthed first of these memories took the form of a His heir was set forth in the agreement as his to her and him. younger brother, Captain the Honourable John

whereabouts.

The fifth name was that of Ratt Gandy, opposite to which Seth Chickering had written the The sixth name was Seth Chickering's own.

name followed.

CHAPTER XI.

Lady Scardele had certainly been fortunate in It was within sight of the river; it was close to the Physic Garden, Originally it had been several houses, that is to say, it had been the stately old house with several modern smaller bosses clustering around it. Lady Sourdale had | battle of life on his own account. polled down the small houses; she made ad-Chelses where large gardens do still linger; and. grass, to lighten their labours and preserve their besith. All round the Culture College ran a high wall, which gave to its green garden a delightful air of scholastic, almost monastic.

But there was nothing at all gleomy about the seclusion of the Ramen of the Culture Colindeed. For this was the day of the celebration You have not told me yet, Mr. Aspen "-she had is pleasant in England, in spite of Chancer's . I have to fell you the worst." praises and the praises of that latter-day hancer. Mr. William Morris, whose cong of April's

forget that the "breezes soft that o'er the never never come home to me any more. Nobleasoms of the erchards blow " generally blow thing to be told after that can affect my courage of the fifteenth day the flouds were away from the East and are bitter and biting. she has left her slipper behind her as a proof of like an ideal April-day; as near perhaps to an Locks, your father was killed. Stop-1 said tried to lift ourselves up to meet him half way. ly, flinging the largesse of his golden light odious calamity that was coming to best her him, for what is busines to a baptism of sunabout with generous profusion, as if to com- down. Her father was killed! There was no shine? Why, nothing, o be sure. pensate by a sudden prodigality mortals bag- need for him to die. No disease had caught hold Now, if you will be good enough to read what gared by a stripping winter. The delicate pink of him-no inevitable fate had stricken him Mr Hodgeon says, I'll till you what he and the

glory of blashing pink, and the bursting buds killed him! ow she f It that she had not ex- our friend from Leeds have the floor for three lent their noft notes of tender green to the banated ber limits of suffering even when she minutes. He ways:laminous beauty of the Spring colouring. There was a great deal of animation in the horror, and horror auspeakable, to think that neighbourhood of the Culture, College on that some brutal hand had killed him. An haglish Stoney R. ck Lane, heeds, do solemnly and sin-April afternoon. The great gate stood open all girl thinks of death, even to those she loves most core y declare as follows :the day, and carriages and cabs kept driving up fondly, as some unavoidable fate coming gently. For over twenty yers I suffered from a bac and depositing visitors at the portal. A little on the victim in the sweet quiet, stilled presence stomach and indigenion. I always felt tired MY STER OUS MURDER LAST NIGHT and depositing visitors at the portal. A little on the west quiet, stilled presence atomach and image and image and another and languid, and had atrange uneasy feeling at the medium for English, American and arrivals, and peered through the open gate into the death-bed. She does not think of a death by the pit of my stomacl. I had a foul taste in the This was evidently the oblef feature of the the mysterious region beyond, and enjoyed itself violence—a death by some cruel human hand mouth, particularly if the morning. My appemorning's news, at least to the reporting mind, very much as a gaping growd always does. In which might have spared and did not a death tite was poor, and after every meal I had great Gera d. with an ove to possible neefalcoss side the gates the Culture College was all alive, by violence-with blows and a bideous wound- pain at the chest am sides. I was much troufor the later enitions of the Catapult, began to for the various greats who had been bidden to a death descorated-a life out off in the wanton- bled with mick headone, and I had often pain read it with a careless interest. But after a inspect the College on this the day of its first | nest of brutal enmity and batred. line or two his interest deep med absorbingly anniversary were wandering all over the build- "Oh, this is too torrible," she murmured. "I troubled me during the night and on rising in and fra f w seconds he saked himself in start- ing, under the guidance of affable young Colle- mover thought of that I" then she said, with the morning, and that up a deal of thick led astonishment whether he was not still dreams giants told off for that special duty. When the something positively flered in her tone and the phlogm. As time cut on I became pale and ing. For the story was the story of the marder guests had seen all that was to be seen and had look of her gleaming eyes: "Tell me, Mr. emarked, and got yeak and nervous, and for in St James's treet and the name of the victim thoroughly satisfied their thirst for knowledge, Aspen, and don't spare me, please—tell me who | twenty years I neer felt well. I struggled on every particular of the working of the murdered my father." There was no mistake about it. The man in scheme, they were conveyed into the great "I have not said that he was murdered-I hansted that I had a lie down during my diamer

whose company he had dised last night, the man garden at the back, where Lady Scardale red day start at the back, where Lady Scardale red day leave not say that yet—I hope and believe it was hour, and also wheel reached home at night. I perform of everything relating to the contomic, Benglos, British str., 1,150, Sarobet, May 18 to whose strange story he had listened, the man coived them, and where there were tents at not so." who had indisted on ent-nating him with the which ten awaited the thirsty. Lady Boardale "He were during those lag years, no words can expocket book which was now in his possession. stood in the o stre of the garden surrounded by was gentle, he was kind, he was only too tender- press. I took all inds of medicines I could was dead-murdered, struck down in the most Fidelia Looke was here, there, and everywhere, Was it an accident? You do not try to deceive porary relief. At let I come weary of taksuperintending, explaining, assisting.

G raid's he d seemed to swim the whole thing | One of the fair collegians came towards Lady | "It was not an accident; Mias Looke. It was incurable. In February of 1888 I got very was so strange, so sudden, so horrible. A feeling | Scardale. 'She had a card in her hand, and the in a quarrel, I believe."

Voyagers' Club impressed her curiously in temper of set purpose and it is to be feared, the Mother Seigel's Cartive Syrap. I got a bottle But the conditions were much more serious, connection with Fidelia's fears for her wander- spirit of vengennes, He e he was, with a portion of the personal ing father, and something ominous became pre-

It must be admitted that for all his horror herself. Then she turned to the little group strange and sudden appearance on the scene of a new man of me, wish others to know what

be "in the know" about the matter on which the garden for more than a quarter of an hour, another which was distinctly less cheerful. look d very crave and san, and Gerald looked dereil. flow if his connection with the mystery got armye and said too. He had just told Lady! What a change a few moments had made in AUTHOR F DEAR LADY DEEDAR DONNE him into grave difficulty? How if he were Scardole the strange story with which he had her! She talked now calmly, coldly, of her "Declared before me at Leeds in the) not able to explain to the satisfaction of the become acquainted that morning and Lady father's death. of the murdered man came into his possession? toll it to Fidelia. Lady Scardale looked around remotest kind against this man—this stranger— For a single second, but only for a single second, for Fidelia and saw her in a distant part of the except the fact that he was found beside the dead self if he were to leave "well" alone and quietly ing shill and most of the guests had gone alar's and anumoused the police."

river or into the fire, and so save himself from "Wait here a moment," Lady Scardalo mid to all complication. The thought only came to be Gerald, who bowed silently. Then she walked by a real name out in those places." dismissed. With the air of a Spartan, Gerald rapidly across the grass to where Fidelia was " Fidelin," said Lady Scardale, softly, " I want

the one subject which occupied her wind. "Fidelia," said Lady Scardale, "I have sad what to think if I had seen him." news-I don't believe in trying to break the fall "Of course," Gerald said, hesitatingly, "I wil or section the pain of such news." She took Fidelia's hunds in hors and pressed

them tonderly. Fidelia looked at her through eyes swimming " My father!" she said: "He is dead ?" "Yes, dear," said Lady Boardale. "He is dead.

How do you know?". "I here is a young man here," Lady Scarlate be the natural thing to do P ? "No, no," Fidelia answered firmly, "I would denly down-dropped eyes.

undoubtedly Gerald Aspen's long-loat father. ing them and wondering at the strange chance see that bright pure creature brought into any BUSINESS. AMMUUNCEMENTS had written his account of the revelry in time John Aspen had given the name of his only son, which h d thrown him so suddenly into con- manner of relationship with such a cosmopolitan to estab the last post and had read a few pages Gerald as his heir in the case of his death, and fiden ial relationship with the two women holist adventurer as the squall death Gundy. Gerald of Botion to clear his mind, and Big Ben was John Aspen was dead and Gerald was heir to his seen for the first time on the previous night. He had met Ratt Gendy in Scotland Yard-Gerald obeyed Lady Scardale's signal, and joined the bad very chivalrous, almost Quixotic notions,

more beautiful now in the clear evening light. Gundy was a very handsome, dashing, dare-devil Reginald Looke. Opposite his name Seth . "Sit down, Fidelia, while Mr. Aspen tells you by -- " and then there came only a stroke of the garden seat under an old elm. " There, I will pencil, and no name filled up the blank. The in- leave you for the present I shall be back

Fidelia Locke, who was described as living in | - Lady Scardale moved away to take farewell of London under the care of the Countess of Scar- the last departing guests. Fidelia looked up at feshion, he began to dislike instinctively the idea " Tell me about my father," she said. Looking down at her Gerald told her all the

over the face, seen for the first time, of Fidelia strange story, the fairy tale which be had learned that day from the nocket-book, and which so The third name was that of the Hocourable mysteriously brought together her name and his. She hardly listened to the few words in which

he told that part of the story. "I know my father was dead." Che rose and stand white and rigid as a status. " Need I tell you how much I likel for you Miss Looke ?" "Sir, I feel for you," Fidelia said, with her

eyes swimming in tears. "If I have lost a father you have lost a father too." She held out her hand in simple, girlish symwould gladly have raised it to bis lips in the graceful fashion of another time, but he shrank girl in her distracs. He saw that she was shaken to the very centre of ber life. He gently presend her hand and then withdraw his own.

der suffering sanotified her in his oyes. Evan modern journalism by no means takes the chivuley out of a man. 'de felt deeply for ber, and it seemed to him a kind of hypocrisy to likes his bealth-to my life-all, all shall se given up secret to hers. He had known nothing of his from this moment to the task of finding out my father, who had indeed never been over much of father's murderer!" a femily man and had left his son to do the Sudd n'y, however, it all came back to him in had so altered and improved it as to make it one refused to send more troops to his son's aid, do. kindly superiority, as an exiled princess might claring it would be better for his son to win the have done. When he first came within sight of battle entirely off his own bat P Perhaps this her, not very many minutes ago, she had seemed

by Mr. Aspen senior also. Anyhow he left his stroke of sad news might have borne to the son to make the best battle he could, unencurs, earth like a tall awaying flower under a sharp but it is certainly not the sort of policy which is right and alone against any shock. Her resolve felt the loss of hers. Therefore her words of

sympathetic.companionship made him feel almost "I knew very little of my father," he said | Cinb that night. The whole aspect of life had fratkly-not without an off rt, for it seemed like a consure on the memory of the dead. "My father was always with me while we lage at any time, and on this particular after were at home." Fidelia said. " I adored him. noon of late April it was looking very cheerful Well. I must pray to God to give me strength!

had remainded Captain Raven on the previous "Can you have courage, Miss Locke?" the evening when they parted at the door of the going man asked, in tones as tremulous and Voyagers' Club. The day was fortunately fine. with cheek as blanched as if he bimself had done had been rainy and cold. Not a glimpse of the The month had not been pleasant. April a dom the deed it was now his ornel duty to summance.

She shoot her bend: "The worst was told," she said, "when I time for snicide and rheimatism, and there was "loveliness" is exquisite enough to make men learned that my father is dead-that he will plenty of both. or my power of endurance."

stars of the almond blossom made the garden a down Ha might have lived—and someone had clerk, were alike in. First, though, we will let beard of her father's death. It was added

me by protending that it was."

"Now tell me all about it." girl listened quietly. Then she began to ask him yours have elapsed, ad I never felt so well in all "It is as I thought." Lady Sourdale said to many questions about the man who made such a my life as I do now Seigel's Syrup has made the murder, the wan who called himself Ran- the medicine has dee for me, and I give full

"The murder in St. James's Street P"

anthorities the way in which the pocket-book -cardale had decided that he himself had better . Every one may there was not evidence of the as this thought flushed across his wind, did it garden, talking to some of the visitors. The body. But indeed it is not quite fair to him to occur to Gerald that it would be better for him. garden was almost empty now, for it was grew- say he was found there. It was he who gave the

" Is that his real name do you think?"

"I want to see that man," she said : " I want to know him. Will you help ats P". do anything to belp you, but I do not under what he is, a right-thinking and a right feeling The people to whom Fidelia was talking said stand why you should want to see that man." But if Gerald had been surprised by the dis- good-bye and shook hands and departed. Lady | "For one thing, Mr. Aspen, because he is the good-as there is a multitude of men and marder, greater surprises still were in store for knew by Lady Scardale's manner that she had of all this story—I mean from personal knew was. Some have symptoms like his and others something serious to say, and her heart began to ledge. He must be able to tell me something have different ones, but they all alguidy the prebeat quickly, for she felt sure that it must be on about -about my father And I should like to sence and power of the same old missanc, and see him-face to face. I should knew better scourge-indigestion and dyspensis.

do all I can

" Will you help me to see this man ?" he only answered, "Oh, yes -if I can." " If you can! Why-are you not involved

Why had Gerald rather avaded her wish to soule in a bit." about women and the fittingness of their " Fidelia," said Lady Scardale, "this is Mr. segregation from all that was tainted and rowdy womanhood in general would not parham sort of fellow, who had a winning voice, a bright smile, and a voluble tongue and that it was charmed by him. Gerald had spoken to Miss Looke for the first time in his life; he had notbeen talking to ber for much more than a quarter of an hour, and already, in truly masculine of other men coming near her. For he said to himself, " Destiny must have had some purpose

in bringing us so strangely together." "One word," he said, as he was gring-and after they bad arranged that he was to see her or to communicate with her again on this wholly sad subject-"you know that you are now rich to you, and will be yours next January -. "Yes ; you have made that clear to me. Thank

you. ever so much. I am so glad-to delighted -so enohanted I' Her eves sparkled with a ourious, flashing light of triumph. Gerald was surprised. "Is she then like so | 7801 many others-like all the rest ?" he asked him-"Can she too, be consoled for any loss by

a compensation in money ?" "You are gled?" he stammered. "Oh, well. and naturally, of course. I suppose every one. must be glad to get money. "Naturally, of course," she repeated. "if one wants to do something. Everyone save that no. thing can be done without money. Very well, will use that money to find out all about my father's death and to bring his murderer to justice. I will go out to those diamend fields myself if it be necessary-but it will not. I know it will not. I shall sp nd my money here. My money and all I own to my last gown-to my

She took leave of Gerald with a sort of patronising air. 'there was something stately and Was it not the father of the Black Prince who serens about her. Ble sout him away with was the heroic view of his paternal duty taken to him only a bentiful delicate girl, whom a exceedingly large garden for London, even for have been a well meant and even heroic policy, contained, strong and stately, able to stand upenstained her. Her purpose had made her So Gerald did not believe in his inmost heart strong. She was a woman-Orestes; she had to

Gerald Aspen had a good deal to think about as he sat in the little niche of the Voyagers' undergone a change for him, too, as well as for

(To be continued.)

LETTING THE SUN SOAK IN.

" I am just standing here to let the cun sook in-It was about two o'click in the afternoon in London. For two weeks or more the weather sun by day or of a star by night. Just dulness, dampures, and chilliness everywhere. People were feeling cross as hengry dogs. It was a

Yet Heaven pitied ugat length, and at noon like dust by a new broom, and the sun came out But this particular day was really time; almost . Yat it is horrible to have to tell you. Miss warm and bright. Howeve all blessed him, and the reality of the vision. But the bulky that had so long been winter had for the first. She had avoluntarily given vent to a little young sterk what he wasdoing out on the pavetime a suggestion of warmth about it, of warmth scroam, and put up her hands nervously before ment in business hears, and he auswered in the and an awakening world. The sun shone royal her face, as if to ward off the wings of some words which begin this sticle. Small blame to planting settlements we have had cordial ap-

"I. George Hodgion, of 17, Fraser Street.

and weight at my Schead. A backing cough on with my work ash at I could, but felt so exwas always in pai and what my sufferings ing physic, and quit thought my ailment was low and weak, for, affed to my old standing somknife outting me of a and perspiration would could not help feeling an almost impassioned For air months I not on in this way, getting

from the Co-speratio Stores, Burmantofts, and "Let us sit down," Mr. Aspen," she said. commenced taking i After three or four doses of the Syrup I fould my food digested better "Something about him haunts me," she said, use they like of this atement, in the hope that which makes me turn cold when I hear of him, presser, and have bee in the employ of a wholeeight years. I will adly answer any inquiries:

"And I mate this colour decleration consolen-"Yes-you won't ad sit-us yet-that there tionaly be's ring the sums to be true, by virtue But this cheering reflection was barred by Gerald Aspen was by her side, Lady Scardale was muy other murder—that my father was mur- of the Statutory Declaration Cromarly, writish str., 1,864, Onnoun, May 22, Saipan, Amc. so'n, 7!, Volume of the Statutory Declaration Cromarly, writish str., 1,864, Onnoun, May 22, Saipan, Amc. so'n, 7!, Volume of the Statutory Declaration Cromarly, writish str., 1,864, Onnoun, May 22, Saipan, Amc. so'n, 7!, Volume of the Statutory Declaration Cromarly, writish str., 1,864, Onnoun, May 22, Saipan, Amc. so'n, 7!, Volume of the Statutory Declaration Cromarly, writish str., 1,864, Onnoun, May 22, Saipan, Amc. so'n, 7!, Volume of the Statutory Declaration Cromarly, writish str., 1,864, Onnoun, May 22, Saipan, Amc. so'n, 7!, Volume of the Statutory Declaration Cromarly, we show (Signed) "Grouge Honoson.

George Hodgeon, this 6th day SEAL of October 1891. (Signed) "ALF. COOK .. Mayor of Leeds." Turn bao'r, and read once-more the seventh

sentence in the statement. The last seven words are these," For twenty yours I never felt well." " No, I am sure it is not. A man seldom goes A dull sky and bad weather in this man's life for twenty years ! Think of that. Then follow plong to where he says. " I never felt so well in all my life as I do now." No wonder be wants "I will help you in every way I can. I will others to know ab ut it. That shows him to be. man. His announcement will do good-ofs of Scardille and Fidelia were left alone. Fidelia only man now in England who knows anything women tormented in the same way Mr. He ignor Kingsland, British atr., 1,497, Meek, May 25, The reader takes notice, of course, of the form

in which the foregoing statement is made -the form of a simple and solemn declaration, a soording to law, before a magistrate, the Mayor of Mathilde, German str., 600, P. Moos, May 21, He was a little surprised at her eagerness, but Leeds. The only purpose of this on the part of Mr. Hodgson is to impart all the dignity and n weight to his words that is possible. He desires the whole story as well as I ! Is not your father | that what he eave may be understood to be the Megul, British s r., 1,827, Golding, May 17, dend out there as well as mine? Can't you go truth and nothing but the truth. Anybody and see him and talk to him? Would not that who disputes it would dispute the uncontradicted. testimony of a witness in a court of justice. answered. "who he just told me; his is a stranger ." It would, certainly," Gerald said. " I must ... But, no fear. The case is too plain for quesstory sitogether. Are you strong anough to see him is any case, and of course, if you wish to tion, and we rejoice with our friend that after so long a period of dismal weather in his life, a "Thank you, very much," she said with sud- medicine was found that now enables him to stand, like the London derk, and " let the sun

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